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RED MILITIAMEN FROM SPAIN DISPLAY ARROGANCE IN FRANCE LOOK UPON NEW REFUGE AS CONQUERED LAND

CHINA'S STRUGGLE FOR UNITY KWANGSI LEADERS ARE STILL OBDURATE NEW PURGE RESENTED IN KWANGTUNG

(From A Special Correspondent)

Canton, Yesterday.

It will be remembered that Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek led his two subordinates, General Chang Fa-kwal, formerly Commander of the Ironsides, and General Pei Chung-hsi, the Kwangsi military brain, during the military campaign against North China from Canton in 1926, and the Generalissimo completed his campaign with the help of these two soldiers as far north as Hopei Province. General Pei Chung-hsi, having a misunderstanding with the Generalissimo, as soon as the campaign finished, led his army back to Kwangsi, and obtained the sympathy of General Li Chai-sum, and later that of General Chen Chi-tang, the semi-independent Government in the South being in existence until July 18, 1936, when the latter left Canton.

Nevertheless, the Generalissimo has continued his work for the unity of China for the last 10 years, and has practically united the whole of China proper, except the province of Kwangsi. In order to suppress Kwangsi, the Generalissimo has removed his Field Headquarters from Wuchang to Whampoa.

Whether he will succeed or not is the question. As Kwangsi is a mountainous province and the people of the province have been known as stubborn warriors in the history of China, no one has yet suppressed the entire province. The Generalissimo, observing this and having the Chengtu incident as well as the foreign aggression in North China to contend with, desires to make peace with the Kwangsi warlords.



Bullet-riddled sandbags give mute evidence of the fierceness of the fighting between loyalists and rebels in Spain. This photograph of a barricade at San Sebastian was made by a Leftist soldier after he and his comrades had successfully beaten off a rebel attack on the city.

Bolshevisation Of The Madrid Government French Comment On New Spanish Cabinet

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL

Berlin, Yesterday. — The formation of the new Madrid Cabinet under the Socialist leader, Senor Largo Caballero, is considered by the German press to be a concession to the extremist elements.

EX-PRESIDENT HOOVER TO RETURN TO POLITICS

San Francisco, Yesterday.

Ex-President Hoover, contrary to the general belief, is returning to politics. He has announced that he will participate in the forthcoming campaign on behalf of Governor Alfred Landon. — Reuter.

TRADE UNION SPLIT

Labour Troubles In
America

MONTH'S ULTIMATUM EXPIRES

Washington, Yesterday.

A large-scale trade union split seems inevitable as a result of the suspension of the 10 unions, voted by the Executive Council of the Federation of Labour on August 6, due to come into force to-day, following the expiration of the month's ultimatum. Mr. Lewis and his committee have shown no signs of yielding to the Federation of Labour's demands. — Reuter.

A message dated August 6 said that a serious trade union split had occurred in the midst of the national election campaign.

The Executive Council of the Federation of Labour voted for the suspension of 10 unions, aggregating 1,000,000 members, affiliated with Mr. John L. Lewis's Committee for Industrial Organization, unless they withdrew from the Committee within a month.

This action followed the failure of the miners' leader, Mr. Lewis, and 11 members of his committee, to appear at the opening in Washington of their "trial for insurrection and rebellion against the American trade union movement." They were charged with seeking to organize American labour into more militant fashion than that favoured by the majority of members of the Federation of Labour.

The Lokalanzeiger writes: "The threatened collapse of the resistance of the Reds in the whole of the Basque country has the effect of bringing the real rulers of Madrid on to the stage, with lightning-like rapidity. True, the wire-pullers have been clever enough not to invite the Anarchist-Syndicalists to participate in the new Government, so as not to alarm those elements abroad who profess sympathy with the criminal struggle waged by the criminals in Madrid. But the name of Senor Largo Caballero is sufficient to characterise the new policy."

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BEDWAS MINE DISPUTE

STRIKE NOTICES
CALLED IN

London, Yesterday.

With reference to the Bedwas Colliery dispute, the South Wales Miners' Federation has decided to withdraw the strike notices.

Later, — The Mines Department announces that a meeting between the Bedwas Company and the South Wales Miners' Federation will be held on Wednesday next. In the meantime work will continue as usual. — Reuter.

An earlier message said that the Secretary for Mines, Captain H. F. C. Crookshank, heard the views of the rival unions in the Bedwas Colliery dispute, which threatened to involve a strike of thousands of men, but the deadlock still persisted.

The South Wales Miners' Federation had issued notices instructing all lodges to make arrangements for a cessation of work on Monday.

The Bedwas Company's attitude was explained in a statement announcing its intention of standing by the Industrial Union. It said that the company suffered from continuous strikes when the colliery was worked by members of the Miners' Federation, but there had not been a single stoppage since the dispute of 1933, when the company first commenced to work with the Industrial Union.

THREAT OF FORCE CAUSES THEM TO GIVE UP ARMS AT FRONTIER 170 BELIEVED MASSACRED BY ANARCHISTS

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL

Hendaye, Yesterday.

Between 3,000 and 4,000 Red Militiamen entered French territory after the fall of Irun yesterday, according to unofficial estimates made here. The Customs and Red guards stationed on the Spanish side of the international bridge likewise fled to France during the night. Their places have been taken by French Communists who have fought against the insurgents during the last few weeks.

In the town of Irun, which, with the exception of the international bridge is completely in the hands of the Nationalists, the entire traffic in the streets has ceased owing to the intense heat caused by the numerous conflagrations. When the Nationalists were advancing on the town the Anarchists demanded that the entire city be destroyed. The Socialists and even Communists objected, however, and heated arguments between the Anarchists and other Reds are declared to have resulted in shooting affrays in several instances.

Paris: The insolent behaviour of the Red Militiamen who fled to France after the fall of Irun is severely criticised by the correspondent of the *Matin* at Hendaye, who declares that the Reds entered the French territory as if they were taking possession of a conquered land. Red Militiamen could in many cases be persuaded only by the threat of force to hand over their arms to the French frontier guards.

The Militiamen greeted each other with raised fists in the streets of Hendaye, and insulted or threatened the Nationalist fugitives who had fled to France before the capture of Irun by the insurgents. Many of the Reds drove up to the international bridge in brand-new motor-cars without identification marks, which had evidently been stolen from garages or display rooms, while others carried shoes or wearing apparel plundered from the shops of Irun.

The cars of the Reds, many of which were decorated with the Hammer and Sickle, the Communist symbol, did not pay any attention to the traffic rules and drove through the streets of Hendaye at a tremendous speed, says the correspondent, who declares that in one instance a child was run over by a reckless Red motorist.

The Spanish Reds not only displayed an overbearing attitude but insulted and threatened the adherents of the French Left parties, whom they blamed for the capture of Irun, because they had not sufficiently supported the cause of the Spanish Popular Front.

HOSTAGES SHOT

Hendaye: Senor Honorio Maura, brother of the late Spanish Premier and brother of the former Republican Minister, Senor Miguel Maura, and the Deputy for Navarre, Senor Beunna, were shot by the Reds before the fall of Irun, according to a statement made to the correspondent of a semi-official German news agency by a Spaniard named Vallejo who succeeded in escaping from Fort Gaudeloupe, where he had been detained with other Nationalists as a hostage by the Reds of Irun.

Senor Vallejo declares that the Basque guards, who originally guarded the hostages, fled yesterday morning, whereupon the Anarchists took over control. The Anarchists originally intended to shoot the 170 persons who were kept as hostages by the Reds, but the Basques finally succeeded in disarming them.

Senor Vallejo, however, fears that the other hostages were assassinated by the Anarchists as the latter realised that the fall of Irun was imminent.

IRUN IN FLAMES

Hendaye: The entire town of Irun, or what is left of it, was still

ATLANTIC CONQUERED BY WOMAN

East To West Trip By
Mrs. Markham

ROYAL RECEPTION AWAITS
HER IN NEW YORK

London, Yesterday.

The Air Ministry reports that at noon to-day no news had been received regarding Mrs. Beryl Markham, who is attempting a solo flight across the Atlantic from east to west.

Her plane was reported to be basing over Ireland at midnight, against a strong wind. The weather reports from Newfoundland in the morning were somewhat ominous.

New York is excitedly awaiting her arrival, which will be lavishly feted. — Reuter's Bulletin Service.

PLANE SIGHTED

New York, later: — A plane believed to be Mrs. Markham's, has been sighted over Newfoundland.

First Woman To Achieve Feat

New York, later: — Mrs. Beryl Markham is the first woman to fly the Atlantic from east to west. Her plane was sighted over Renowes, Newfoundland, at 2.35 p.m. British Standard Time, flying low in a westward direction. She has still about 1,200 miles to fly to reach New York.

The weather is officially stated to be cold and misty, and a strong north-westerly breeze is blowing.

FORCED LANDING?

New York, later: Mrs. Markham is reported to have made a forced landing at St. John, New Brunswick. — Reuter.

TRANS-ATLANTIC FLIERS TAKING OFF TO-DAY?

London, yesterday. — The American trans-Atlantic fliers Richman and Morrill are remaining in London to-day. They hope to take off from Abingdon on their return trip to New York at dawn to-morrow. — Reuter's Bulletin Service.

AMBASSADOR TO CHINA

New-British Envoy
Reaches Japan

Tokyo, Yesterday.

Sir Hugh Knatchbull-Hugessen, the newly-appointed British Ambassador to China, with his wife, son and daughter, arrived here on the R.M.S. Empress of Canada to-day, and is going to Chosenji for the week-end. The Ambassador is having luncheon with Mr. Arita, Foreign Minister, on Tuesday, and plans to leave Kobe on Friday next for Shanghai. — Reuter.

CONDEMNATION OF THE JAPANESE CHENG TU MOVE

SEVERE LONDON
COMMENT

"Stiff And Sweeping"
Demands

MAKING VOLCANOES OUT
OF MOLEHILLS

London, Yesterday.

The Times, in a leading article, says that apparently Tokyo means that the Chengtu incident shall have capital value. The army and navy have ensured that the demands are stiff and sweeping. The phrase "The relations with Japan must be such that a repetition of such outrages will be avoided" might, and probably will, be interpreted in a number of ways.

There are few signs that Japan is prepared to be conciliatory. The demands are ominous, phrased. The Japanese are adepts at turning a molehill into a volcano, but on this occasion the machinery for the transformation scene creaks, and there are lacunae in the illusion.

To charge Nanking with complicity in a pointless act of violence is to underrate the acumen of the Chinese. That the matter will be allowed to rest is not likely.

TWO MOTIVES

Japan's disproportionate show of indignation has two motives — firstly, the usual desire to embarrass the Nanking Government as much as possible at every turn; and secondly, to get some kind of a foothold in Chengtu.

It is an open secret that Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek contemplated making Chengtu the ultimate refuge of the Nanking Government from Japanese pressure on the coast, and the Japanese, who are the most inquisitive of races, would in the circumstances wish to be well informed about the developments in Szechwan. The Comintern makes a good listening-post and the need to protect it

Further, some of the Kwangtung people are not satisfied with the tremendous number of people thrown out from Government offices, besides those rendered unemployed since the prohibition of gambling, fortune-telling and so forth. Whether the Kwangtung armies will join the Generalissimo or not is a matter of conjecture. If a civil war between Nanking and Kwangtung should start, hence delegates have been sent to Kwangtung several times to negotiate for peace, but without success.

On Wednesday last General Chu Pei-teh, Director of Military Education, Mr. Ku Cheng, President of the Judicial Yuan, and General Ching Chien, Chief of Staff to the Generalissimo, were sent to Nanking by air as the Nanking delegates for the final peace conference, but they also returned to Canton without having achieved success yesterday afternoon. It is definitely learned that the Generalissimo may in a time of crisis come in handy as a pretext. — Reuter.

REPORT TO TOKYO

Tokyo: The Chinese Ambassador, Mr. Hsu Shih-ying, called on Mr. Arita at 10.10 a.m. to-day, and is reported to have conveyed to him the Nanking Government's views concerning the Chengtu incident unofficially.

It is learned that formal negotiations between the Chinese and Japanese authorities at Tokyo are expected to open shortly, simultaneously with the negotiations of Mr. Kawagoe with Nanking. — Reuter.

OUR PARIS LETTER NEW PARIS MILLINERY

"PRE-AUTUMN" COLLECTIONS FEATURE
VINTAGE COLOURS AND BACCHIC
MOTIFS—HIGH HATS

Paris. WINE seems to be going to our heads with a vengeance this Autumn. All the vintage colours are being featured in what the Paris modistes call their pre-Autumn collections, which include the first authentic Autumn millinery styles. And it is no longer possible to convey an exact picture by speaking of wine-red or grape-purple. One must be a connoisseur to call the new colours. The very tone of all the grands crus of France are being reproduced in felts and feathers, flowers and veillings. There are new bacchanalian reds, the colour of late vine leaves; violets that celebrate all the phases of the vintage from the first pressing of the grapes to the last stages of the boiling.

Harvest colours come next on the Autumn style-palette. Tiger-fish-pumpkin, tawny-squash, dried wheat, pop-corn before popping, the whole gamut of russets, turning leaves, bare-earth browns and ochers are some of the latest variants.

Very few all-black hats are seen. The ones that are shown are more than likely to be trimmed with a vivid green. Green trims on brown hats are also notable.

Autumn is the open season for high hats, and this season is no exception to the rule. The latest models look positively towering after the wide, flat shapes prevalent this Summer. High-crowned hats with small brims will be worn at first.

Berets are still popular. They are rejuvenated by much trimming. "Casquettes" are featured by Suzy, Le Monnier and others.

An unusual style-point of this season is that felts—especially taupes and hatters' plush—outmode velvet, which is ordinarily worn with filmy frocks at the races and polo matches. But there are some charming small velvet turbans for restaurant dining.

A new toque line is noted chez Louise Bourbon, Le Monnier and others. It is somewhat like a pillbox in front, though it may have an upturned cuff. It is set straight on the head. The back is flattened and extends far down over the hair, almost to the nape. An upstanding back trim sometimes accentuates the movement.

Highest Hats From Agnes

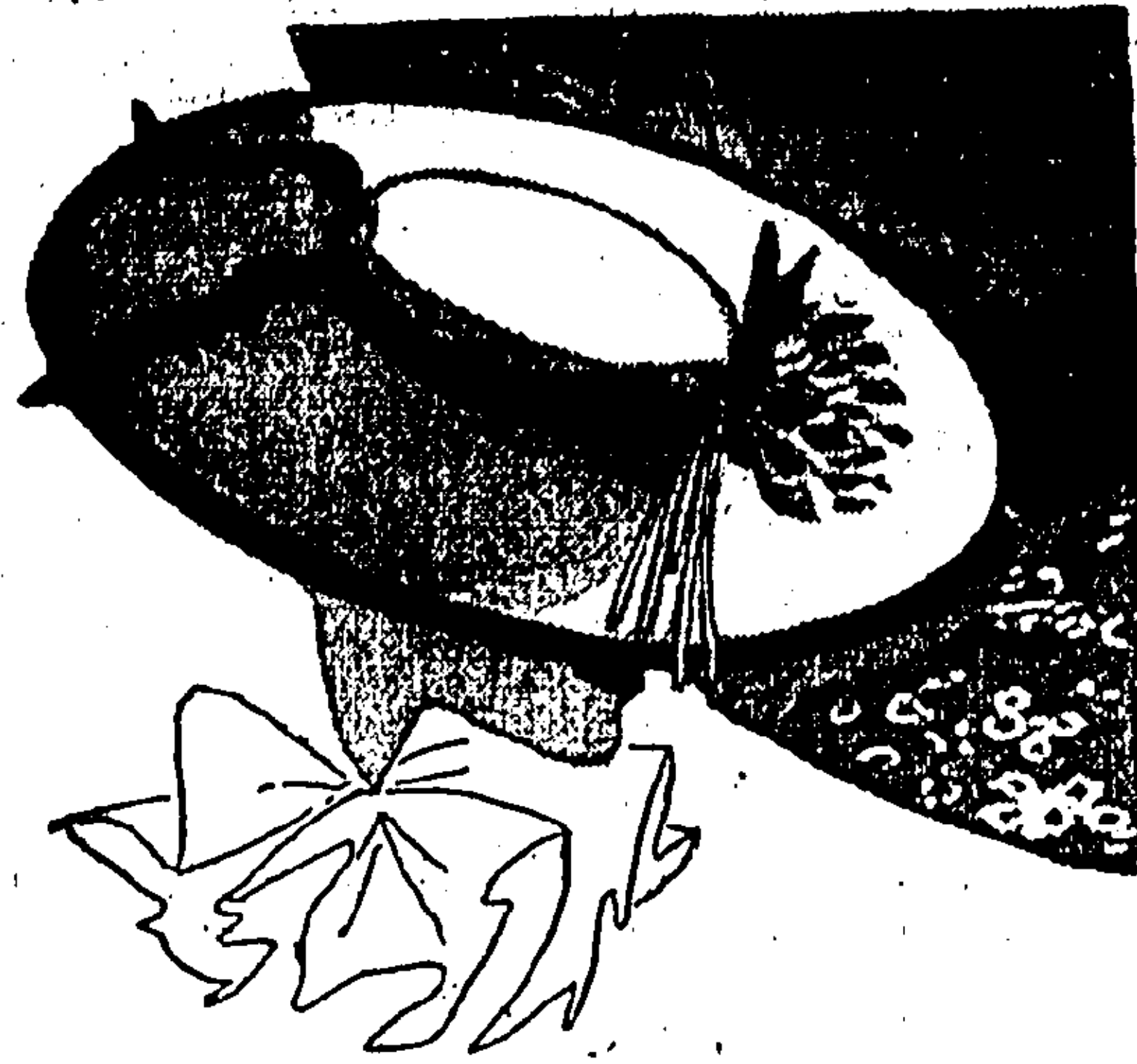
Agnes is tired of flat sailors and picture hats and she is sponsoring the highest crowns to be seen in Paris millinery salons, at the moment. Almost all her new hats are in felt, with medium brims and variations of the truncated cone crown. Those trimmed with flowing marquisette veils, particularly, are reminiscent of the Empress Elisabeth's riding hats.

Agnes launches a new trimming that resembles wool em-



broidery. Actually, it is wool yarn made into flat flowers or sprays and applied on felt or velvet. She uses it in contrasting colours around the high crowns of her smartest felts, and veils it with marquisette scarfs in a different shade. These scarfs may be worn flowing or draped around the shoulders. No two of the applique motifs are exactly alike.

Louise Bourbon shows a large pre-Autumn collection, characterized by her usual audacious but subtle colour combinations and poetic trimming compositions. She features wine tones and vintage motifs—grapes, vine leaves, vine tendrils and enameled grape ornaments.



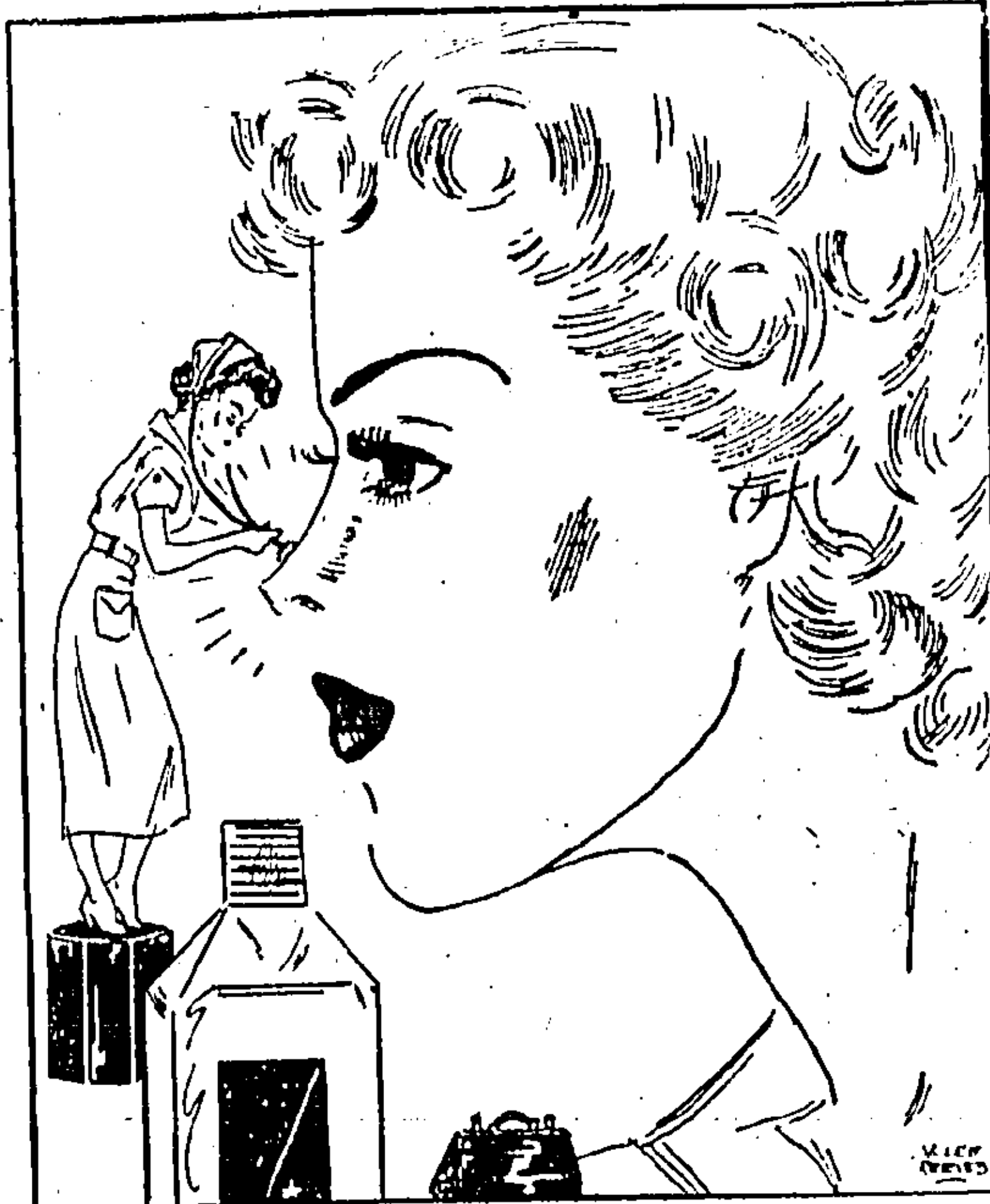
HOLLYWOOD BEAUTY SECRETS

(By Max Factor)

IT'S a very common occurrence to find a woman who has a dry skin, yet whose nose is oily. Maybe that's your trouble. Anyway, it's extremely annoying to have your nose stand out so conspicuously, just because you cannot control the oil which it constantly secretes.

makes it necessary to use a lubricating cream.

You dry-skinned misses have been advised against astringent, but it deserves a place on your dressing table if you're afflicted with an oily nose. Moisten a good-sized piece of cotton with the astringent and apply it to the



"Be your own 'beauty doctor,'" says Max Factor. "Diagnose your minor ills and treat them locally."

Specific minor beauty disturbances like this must be treated with the same kind of thought and attention that a physician gives to a local ailment. The trouble must be diagnosed and a course of cure prescribed. But you must be your own doctor and nurse! However, we can give you a few notes for your medical book.

Let's take this common case of the oily nose as a start. It is usually caused by a greater concentration and activity of the sebaceous glands—(those which secrete oil)—at the nose. Yet the sluggishness of the sebaceous glands in other parts of the face

nose several times each day. Put it on at night before you use your lubricating cream. The astringent will "cut" the oil and contract the large pores which usually accompany this condition. Use it generously in the morning, too, before you put on your make-up.

You should also use a foundation cream with a honey-suckle base on your nose. It will make your face powder stay on hours longer and help to keep the oil in check. This treatment takes perseverance, but it's well worth it.

Another chronic beauty trouble is dark circles under the eyes. "Oh," you say, "that's easy to cure. All you have to do is get enough rest." Unfortunately, that isn't true of all cases. There are many women who manage to get plenty of sleep, yet still have unsightly discolorations under their eyes. The reason for this has never been satisfactorily explained, but there are two ways of correcting it. Although these two treatments can be used separately, you'll get best results when you use them together.

The first is a thorough lightening of the skin under the eye by means of a bleach mask. Apply the bleach cream to the space from the eye to the cheekbone. The second is to apply a heavy coating of a powder foundation to cover the dark spots. If you do this cleverly and get your face powder on right over it, the circles will not be noticeable. Keep the afflicted area well lubricated by frequent use of your night cream. The most stubborn case of dark patches under the eyes should respond to a combination of these two methods.



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Cake Crumb Pudding

Two cups stale cake crumbs, 1 egg, milk, jelly and 2 tablespoons of sugar are the needed ingredients.

The amount of milk needed will depend on the kind of cake and the staleness of the crumbs, but usually about 2 cups are required.

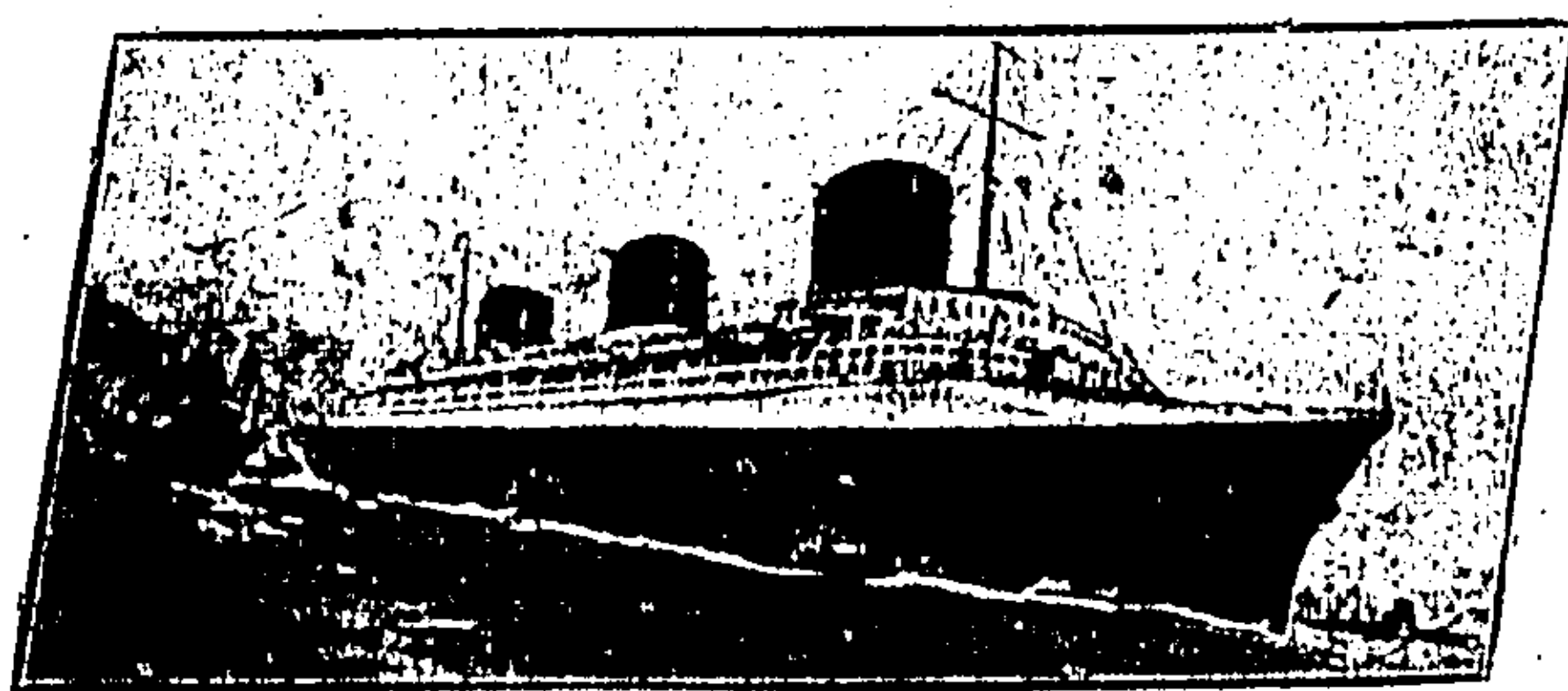
Pour the milk over the crumbs and let stand until absorbed. Add yolk of egg and beat well. Turn into a buttered baking dish and bake in a moderate oven until firm to the touch. This takes

about 30 minutes. Remove from the oven and let cool. Spread with jelly and cover with the white of the egg beaten until stiff with the sugar. Return to a slow oven and bake 8 minutes to puff and colour the meringue.

Uncooked Crumb Pudding

A good uncooked cake crumb pudding uses 2 cups dry cake crumbs, 1 cup stewed fruit and 1 cup cream whipped. Rub fruit through collander to remove stones and skins and make smooth.

Mix crumbs and fruit well and fold in cream whipped until firm. Turn into a shallow pan and let stand in the ice box for several hours to chill and become firm. Cut into squares and serve with sweetened whipped cream.



"NORMANDIE"

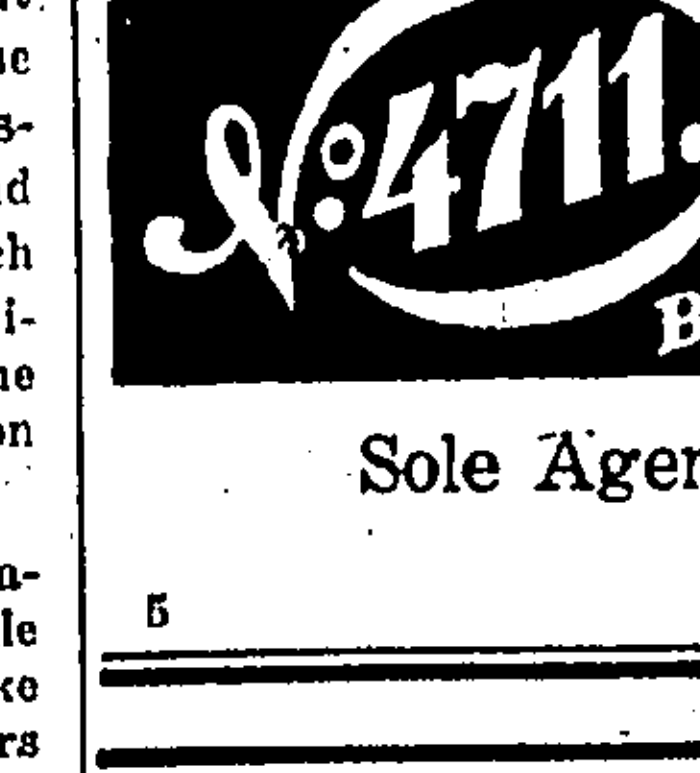
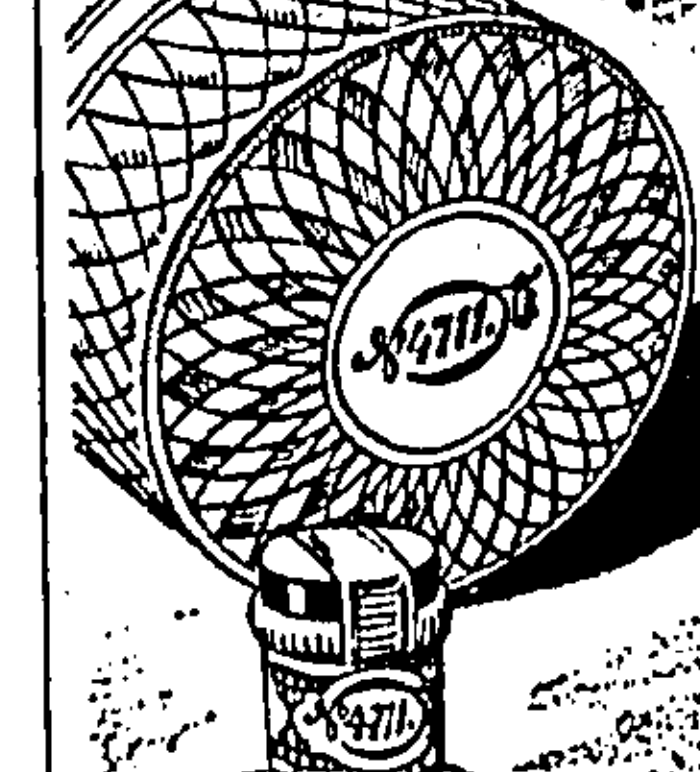
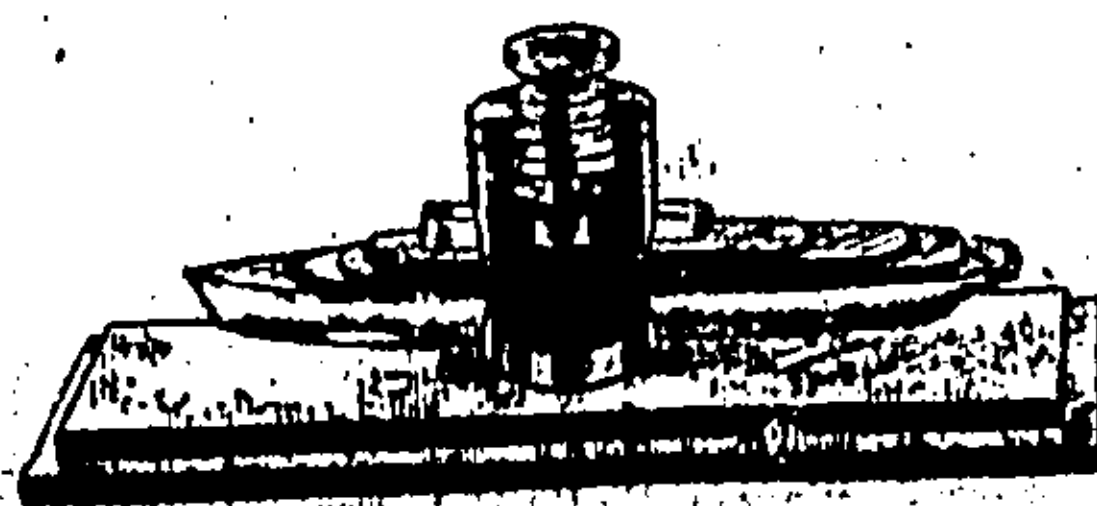
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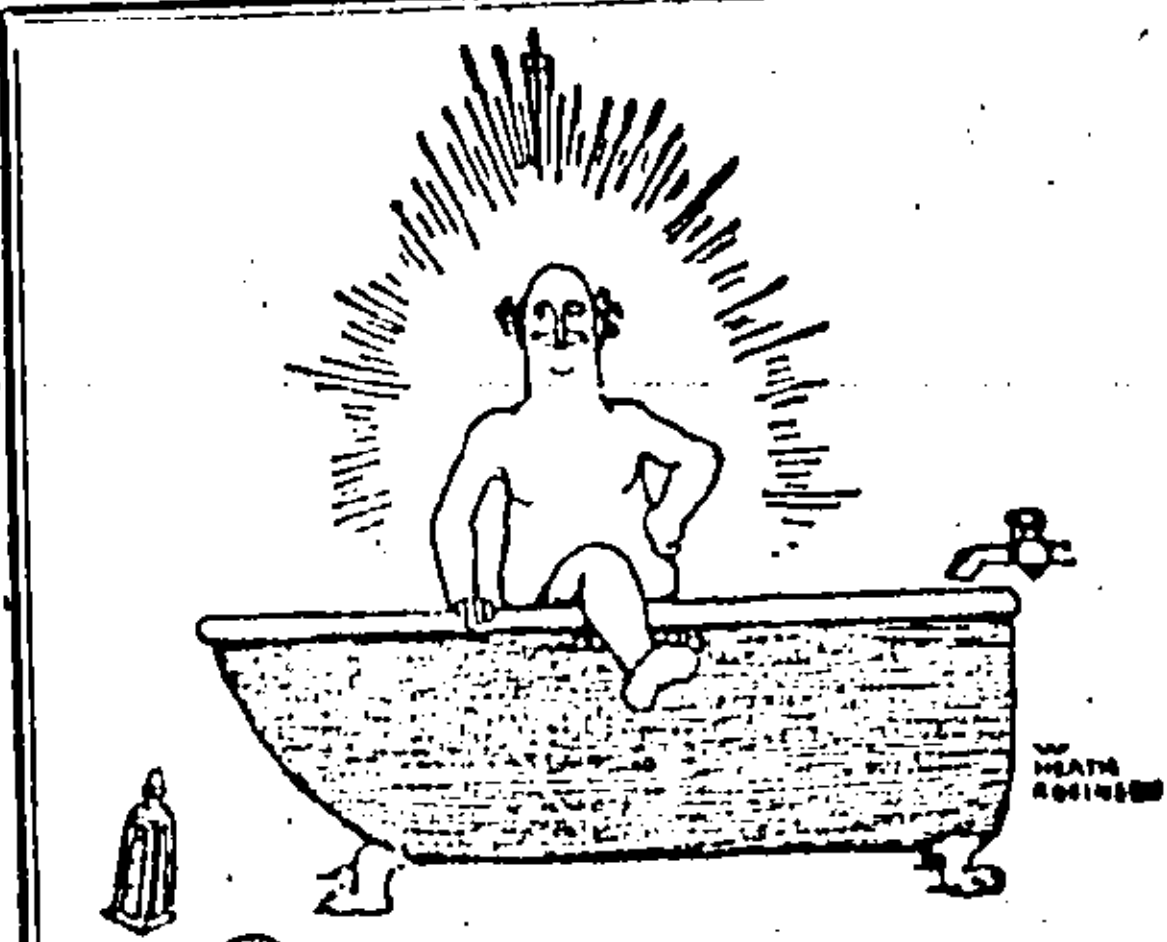
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COLONY AQUATIC



The Kowloon Indians' Tennis Club's "C" Division Lawn Tennis League team which beat Club de Recreio by 5½ sets to 3½ last Thursday at King's Park to secure the divisional championship for the first time in the history of the League. Left to right in the back row are Firdos Khan, Iqbal Mahan Singh, S. S. Hussain, T. M. V. Devan. (Seated)—Y. A. Wahab, who was the outstanding player on view, Dr. H. M. Singh and S. A. Hussain. ("Herald" photo).

Club Bowls Tourneys

Craigengower Events Nearing Completion

The singles championship of this season has already been decided, Wally Mair, one of their players who took such a prominent part in the Open Pairs competition, winning from L. Glendenning after a very close game. The only other competition at the P.R.C.—the Novices Championship—has already reached its final stages and Chris Pile, the Interport footballer will meet R. North.

CRAIGENGOWER

A. E. Coates, who won the Colony singles title from L. A. Gutierrez some weeks ago, is favoured by many to win the title at the Craigengower Cricket Club, though he is now only in the Third Round. He meets K. M. Omar, but should have no difficulty in winning, and in the next round he will meet either R. Basa or C. Summons. On present form there should be nothing to stop him from qualifying to meet the winner of the R. F. da Luz-J. S. Landolt semi-final tie. Luz is favoured to beat Landolt and Craigengower members are of the opinion that a Luz-Coates final will be worth travelling a long way to watch.

In this club's pairs competition, U. M. Omar and W. Phelps will



B. I. Bickford, above, the Interport soccer player, celebrated his 21st birthday yesterday.

meet J. S. Landolt and W. Fitzgerald in the final, when a very good game should be seen. Omar's superior experience as a skip should stand him in good stead and should prove the deciding factor in a game which promises to be very close.

In the Handicap Singles event J. S. Landolt also figures in the semi-finals. He meets C. S. Rossett and should qualify to meet the winner of the game between W. Bagley and W. K. Way or J. Pau. Way will probably win through to the final.

The rinks competition has also progressed very rapidly and the only games now to be played are as follows:—

J. R. Soares, A. E. S. Alves, A. S. Gomes, R. Basa (skip) v H. L. Fox, W. Fitzgerald, M. A. R. Souza, W. Gill (skip).

F. J. Smith, W. H. Atkins, F. K. Modi, C. Summons (skip) v N. P. Kuranjia, F. J. Bagley, K. M. Omar, A. E. Coates (skip).

CIVIL SERVICE
Due to the fact that J. F. MacGowan is away with the Interport bowls team, the Civil Service Cricket Club Pairs competition is held up temporarily.

W. Kerman and J. Bentley meet J. A. Bendall and J. Carr and should win. In the other semi-final, M. Cunietti and W. R. Hill meet J. F. MacGowan and L. H. Collyer, who are favoured to win the title.

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A section of the crowd who witnessed the Kowloon Indians' Tennis Club's triumph over Club de Recreio in the deciding match in the "C" Division of the Lawn Tennis League last Thursday. ("Herald" photo).

CHAMPIONSHIPS SURPRISES AMONG THE ENTRIES

TWO WALK-OVERS FOR LAWRENCE

KWANGTUNG PROVINCIAL MEETING ON AT SAME TIME

THE entry of the pick of the Army representatives, the first appearance of the European Y.M.C.A. in over four years and the dearth of first class performers from the Victoria Recreation Club are the most notable features in the completed entry list for the Colony's annual Swimming Championships, which will be held under the auspices of the V.R.C. on September 15, 16, 17 and 18, commencing at 6 p.m. on the first three dates, and at 9.15 p.m. on the final night.

The absence of such swimmers as A. A. da Roza, C. N. Nolasco Silva and Lionel Roza-Perelra from many of the events presents a mystery, although the last named has entered for the 880 Yards free-style and the Colony Diving Championship—he is making a stern bid for the latter title in the unavoidable absence of Ed. da Roza, the present holder, who is under doctor's orders.

The most surprising feature of the championships is the few entries received for the 220 Yards free-style and the 440 Yards free-style—only three swimmers will take part. It is quite evident that Wilfred Lawrence, who has entered for both these events, of which he is the present holder, is unlikely to better his present marks as the opposition he will come up against is poor in the extreme.

Although South China Athletic Association have entered for several of the events, it is felt that their swimmers will not be taking part as the championship dates coincide with those of the Kwangtung Provincial Aquatic Meeting, to be held in Canton, and with Chan Chan-hing away in Europe, the remaining stars stand a much better chance of securing the titles he won last year.

Taking the events individually, the 50 Yards free-style has drawn several interesting entries, among whom the Army and European Y.M.C.A. are strongly represented—in numbers.

Present Holder Away

Chan Chan-hing, the present holder of the record, in 25 2-5 secs., is at present away from the Colony and from present indications the race will revolve round three or four swimmers, namely L. Oliveira, Shanghai's second-string swimmer in their Interport meet against Tientsin, and who stands the best chance, H. L. Ozorio, one of the University's fastest men over this distance, and Lieut. A. J. Lewis, of the Fusiliers. In addition F. J. Anslow of the Y.M.C.A. and Rfm. Hamilton (Rifles) will also constitute a menace.

It is interesting to note that the European Y.M.C.A. have also entered one of their best junior swimmers in A. Keown, the Central British School champion, who will be participating more for experience than for anything else.

A notable absentee is W. Lawrence, who clocked 25 4-5 secs. against the Canton Aquatic Sports Club yesterday.

Best Event On Card

In addition to the holder, Wilfred Lawrence (V.R.C.), the 100 Yards free-style has drawn entries from the best of the Colony's remaining Clubs and this event promises to be the best on the programme.

Although Lawrence will not have a Hammond to push him all

BOWLS WASHED OUT

The four junior bowls League fixtures scheduled for yesterday were postponed because of the rain.



Miss Marie Smith, above, brilliant Interporter of the C.B.A., will be playing for the "Y" Ladies this coming season, while there is a possibility that Miss Joan Lakeman, of the C.B.S., will also be helping the Pearce Cup winners.

the way, in Oliveira (University), Norman Lee (South China), H. L. Ozorio (University) and Rfm. Hamilton (Army) he has worthy opposition, and it would not be surprising to see him lower his own mark of 57 1-5 secs., which he set up last year.

Lawrence should win the 220 Yards free-style with comparative ease as Pte. Taylor and Boy. Derbyshire, of the East Lances, are nowhere near his class. The lack of entries for this event is sensational.

The same remark applies to the 440 Yards free-style, and here again Lawrence will meet two Army swimmers in Pte. Taylor and Pte. Thorpe. It was thought that Lionel Roza-Perelra, the former Colony champion over this distance, would again enter, but he is paying more attention to diving and to the half-mile and so Lawrence is practically assured of another walk-over!

Back-Stroke Duel

The 100 Yards back-stroke will see a very fine race between Lau Po-hoi (University), the former Colony and present Interport champion, and Wilfred Lawrence, the holder of the Colony record. Another good entrant is Siu Boon-hoon, of the Mak Ngah Association. Taylor, of the East Lances, is the only Army entrant and the experience should stand him in good stead.

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Other swimming articles will be found on Page 16.



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INTERPORT NETS TO-MORROW

22 REPRESENTATIVES NOMINATED
SUGGESTED ELEVEN SELECTED ON REPUTATION

PRACTICE nets for the candidates for Interport honours will be put up at the Hong Kong Cricket Club as from to-morrow, and it will be interesting to watch the form of those turning out as the selection of the team this time promises to be a most difficult task in view of the fact that so many of our leading lights will not be available, coupled with the fact that included in the nominations are a number of people who are seeking recognition for the first time.

In an interview with Mr. A. K. Mackenzie, Hon. Secretary of the Hong Kong Cricket Club, it was learned that the Selection Committee had not yet been appointed, while the teams for the trial match on the coming Saturday will probably be chosen just before the game starts—the idea being that all those who have sent in their names will be asked to be present for a game, and then if there are still not enough players to make up two teams others will be invited to play.

ENGLAND ELEVEN HELD BY INDIA
High Scoring At Folkestone

London, Yesterday. At Scarborough, Yorkshire beat the M.C.C. by an innings and 95 runs. Yorkshire: 441 (Mitchell 127). M.C.C.: 189 (Hutton 4 for 25) and 100, (Verity 5 for 41, Hutton 4 for 52).

At the Folkestone Festival, All-India drew with an All-England team. England XI: 377 (B. H. Valentine 115, Todd 79) and 213 for 3 dec. (Woodley 79, Ames 107). All-India: 372 (Wazir Ali 155 not out; R. W. V. Robins 8 for 105) and 152 for 1. —Reuter.

FASTEST CENTURY PRIZE FOR LESLIE AMES
London, Yesterday: Leslie Ames, the Kent cricketer and a member of England's Test team for Australia, scored the fastest century of the season when playing yesterday for a representative England side against All-India at Folkestone. He scored 103 in 68 minutes.—British Wireless Service.

CHINESE OLYMPIC GYMNASTS Performances Given In Munich

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL

Munich, Yesterday. The performances given here by the Chinese Olympic Gymnastic team under the leadership of Professor Ju Suen-hwa met with unqualified success, the climax being when Miss Fu treated enthusiastic audiences to a display of "T'jinal Chi" exercises.

Among those present were Professor Liu Tsai-sen, head of the Chinese Educational Service, and many other distinguished personalities. The Chinese gymnasts left Europe from an Italian port yesterday. —Trans-Ocean Service.

Although the nominations sent in so far do not include any from the Royal Navy, it is understood that Ldg.-Tel. Tufnell, H.M.S. Tamar, will be available if required. Tufnell was one of the Navy's leading bowlers last season.

R. D. Gillespie, the Hong Kong Cricket Club batsman who showed such brilliant form in the few matches that he played last season, will be in Shanghai about the time the Interport comes off and we are told on good authority that he will be available. Gillespie is a big hitter, though he has also quite a good defence.

Camp-Followers
It has already been announced that H. R. B. Hancock, "the father of the Interports," will be accompanying the team as a camp-follower, and we have since learned that A. K. Mackenzie may also be making the trip, while Capt. D. W. Pearce has expressed his intention of going up even if he is not selected.

The names sent in to date are as follows:—

E. J. R. Mitchell, L. D. Kilbee, H. B. Neve, T. A. Pearce (H.K.C.C.); N. A. E. Mackay, R. Lee, W. C. Hung, E. F. Fincher (K.C.C.); A. H. Madar, F. D. Pereira, A. R. Minu, K. Nazarin (I.R.C.); W. H. Colledge (C.S.C.); Col. Kirke, Lt. Garthwaite, Lt. J. P. Williams, Capt. Perse, Lt. D. M. Prichard (Army); A. T. Lee, F. R. Zimmermann, E. Zimmermann (C.C.C.) and E. L. Gosano (University).

It is understood that A. W. Hayward (H.K.C.C.) may also be able to get the necessary leave to make the trip.

Team On Reputation
From the above, the following team, in batting order, looks to be the best on reputation:

1. N. A. E. Mackay
2. J. P. Williams
3. T. A. Pearce (captain)
4. C. C. Garthwaite
5. A. H. Madar
6. E. F. Fincher
7. W. C. Hung
8. E. L. Gosano
9. E. Zimmermann
10. A. R. Minu
11. F. D. Pereira



Alec Pearce, above, stands a very good chance of being nominated captain of the Hong Kong Interport team to visit Shanghai next month.

Reserve—Capt. Perse and F. R. Zimmermann.

Pearce is obviously following in the footsteps of the well-known "Tam", and the sooner he is given the captaincy the better. He and Leach are the two finest cricketers in the Far East and he has had ample "big" match experience in county cricket, besides having visited Shanghai before—he made a century in a friendly while in Shanghai two years ago. What we want is a more or less permanent skipper—Leach fills that bill in Shanghai—and therefore any Army player should not be considered for the post.

Four Newcomers
Of the above eleven only Mackay, who thoroughly deserves selection as wicket-keeper-batsman, Hung, one of the finest fielders in the Colony and a very pretty bat when he gets going, Gosano, a brilliant all-rounder, and E. Zimmermann, a useful reserve stumper and batsman, are new to Interport cricket.

The team is sound in batting down to No. 8 and possesses a very fine attack with Pereira, Gosano and Hung as fast bowlers. Garthwaite medium fast, Pearce, Minu (left-hander) and Madar with their spinners, and Fincher as the slow bowler. The holding of the side is also likely to be up to the high standard usually associated with Interports.

However, the team should not be chosen on reputation and the form shown during the trials should very largely determine the final selection.

Shanghai Selections
Shanghai, Sept. 3.—The Interport Selection Committee has announced that six places have been filled. The six selected are A. J. Barson, R. Booth, M. J. Divecha, J. B. H. Leekie, H. V. Parker, and L. F. Stokes.

FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION COUNCIL MEETING

A Council Meeting of the Hong Kong Football Association will be held next Tuesday evening at the Sports Club, commencing at 5.30 p.m.

Coming Week's Soccer Fixtures

TO-MORROW

First Division	
Bolton	v Preston
Charlton	v Stoke
Second Division	
Aston Villa	v Notts F.
Burnley	v Fulham
Southampton	v Doncaster
Swansea	v Coventry
Third Division (South)	
Luton	v Walsall
Notts C.	v Crystal P.
Third Division (North)	
Crawley	v Chester
Halifax	v Barrow
Oldham	v Lincoln
Port Vale	v N. Brighton
Rotherham	v Hull
Stockport	v Gateshead
Tranmere	v York

TUESDAY

First Division	
Grimsby	v Chelsea
Third Division (North)	
Southport	v Carlisle
WEDNESDAY	
First Division	
Arsenal	v Brentford
Birmingham	v W. Bromwich
Derby	v Sunderland
Leeds	v Manchester C.
Liverpool	v Portsmouth
Manchester U.	v Huddersfield
Middlesboro	v Wolves
Second Division	
Bradford	v Leicester
Bury	v Barnsley
Newcastle	v W. Ham
Norwich	v Chesterfield
Plymouth	v Bradford C.
Third Division (South)	
Aldershot	v Northampton
Gillingham	v Bournemouth
Torquay	v Exeter
Walsall	v Southend



Third Division (North)
Darlington v Wrexham
Mansfield v Rochdale
Scottish League
Third Lanark v Rangers
Motherwell v Hearts

THURSDAY
First Division
Wednesday v Everton
Third Division (South)
Clapton v Cardiff
Newport v Brighton

Scottish League
The following matches will be played some time in the week (the dates have not yet been decided upon):
Aberdeen v Aberdeen
Colt v Clyde
Dundee v Kilmarnock
Dunfermline v Hamilton
Falkirk v Queen O'South
Hibernian v Albion
Partick v Queen's Pk.
St. Mirren v St. Johnstone

SATURDAY
First Division
Aberdeen v Sunderland
Birmingham v Stoke
Bolton v Everton
Brentford v Huddersfield
Leeds v Charlton
Liverpool v Grimsby
Manchester U. v Manchester C.
Middlesboro v Chelsea
Preston v Wolves
Wednesday v Derby
W. Bromwich v Portsmouth

Second Division	
Bradford	v Sheffield U.
Burnley	v Aston Villa
Coventry	v Plymouth
Doncaster	v Notts F.
Fulham	v Chesterfield
Leicester	v Bury
Newcastle	v Tottenham
Norwich	v Blackpool
Southampton	v Bradford C.
Swansea	v Barnsley
W. Ham	v Blackburn
Third Division (South)	
Aldershot	v Walsall
Bristol R.	v Northampton
Clapton	v Reading
Gillingham	v Southend
Luton	v Crystal P.
Millwall	v Bournemouth
Newport	v Cardiff
Notts C.	v Queen's P.R.
Swindon	v Brighton
Torquay	v Bristol C.
Walsall	v Exeter
Third Division (North)	
Accrington	v Hull
Chesham	v Barrow
Crawley	v York
Halifax	v Hartlepool
Lincoln	v N. Brighton
Mansfield	v Carlisle
Oldham	v Gateshead
Port Vale	v Darlington
Rotherham	v Wrexham
Stockport	v Rochdale
Tranmere	v Southport
Scottish League	
Aberdeen	v T. Lanark
Albion	v Arbroath
Clyde	v Dunfermline
Hamilton	v Coltie
Hearts	v Falkirk
Kilmarnock	v Hibernian
Queen O'S	v Dundee
Queen's Pk.	v St. Mirren
Rangers	v Motherwell
St. Johnstone	v Partick

[Yesterday's results will be found on Page 22.]

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Now Snidow's Single Again He Thought His Wife Was "Twins"

Unique Divorce Case Heard At Los Angeles

EXPERTS who have studied— and collectors who, so to speak, have "collected"—the wealth of reasons advanced by husbands or wives seeking to end their unsuccessful marriages were inclined to agree that the "tops" in unique and amazing reasons for breaking "the tie that binds" was reached, the other day, in a Los Angeles court.

Ralph Snidow asked that his marriage to Bernice Parker be annulled because he had thought his wife was "twins," and then discovered she wasn't!

And the Court backed him up in his complaint. He claimed that he had married Bernice with the belief that she had a twin sister named Virginia, with whom he had been somewhat in love some time before. He recited various circumstances in the three-month period during which the marriage lasted, which had kept the 26-year-old husband firm in the belief that his wife was Virginia's twin. The two, he said, looked marvellously alike.

But then an astounding thing had happened—Ralph declared he reached the conclusion that his wife, Bernice, and her "twin sister Virginia" were one and the same person!

First Meeting

And because of his trouble in trying to tell which was which, or whether "they" were one and the same person, Snidow, through his attorney, Paul Angellilo, filed a complaint in Superior Court asking that his marriage contract be called off entirely.

When Snidow's strange case was heard, he related how he had met a girl named "Virginia Parker" many months before and had fallen abruptly in love with her. For a brief time, he stated, everything ran along with the smoothness of a well-oiled engine. But then a lovers' quarrel threw the

proverbial monkey-wrench into the works, and each went their separate ways, vowing they would meet again.

After the passage of a few months, continued the husband, he met a lovely-looking, vivacious girl, who he thought at first blush to be his former sweetheart; but he was told she was Bernice Parker, the twin sister of the girl he had loved and lost.

Fell Fast

According to Attorney Angellilo, Bernice and Snidow now began to see a lot of each other. Apparently the love flame that had sunk to embers with Virginia began to burn brightly again with Bernice. A ton of bricks couldn't have fallen any faster or harder than Ralph.

Bernice reciprocated, and "love's old sweet story" reached the usual happy ending. Bernice and Ralph sped off to Yuma, Arizona, last February, and were married. It appears he never told Bernice that he'd ever met Virginia; and Virginia, it seems, wasn't anywhere around and didn't appear.

The newlyweds returned to California, fixed up a little love nest and settled down to domesticity. Then, stated Ralph in his testimony, his lovely wife gave him two snapshots—one of herself and one of her sister Virginia.

They looked exactly alike to Snidow, he claimed, except for a slight difference in the arrangement of the coiffures worn by the sisters when the photographs were snapped.

"On The Spot"

Shortly after, declared Snidow, along one day came Virginia—while, sister Bernice was absent. It was the first time he'd seen Virginia in months—and now Virginia said she would tell Bernice that Ralph had once had a love affair with her! And she added, ac-

cording to the complaint, that of course Bernice mightn't like the news, especially.

Ralph very evidently felt he was pretty much "on the spot." Figuring a little present might help matters, he said he dug down to the tune of a \$20 bill. But, declared the husband, before he left himself open for further monetary demands, he asked Virginia to sign an agreement promising not to ask for more money.

This request, he said, was ok'd by his old sweetheart. The purported document was incorporated in Snidow's complaint. It read: "I hereby consent not to molest Ralph Snidow as long as he is married to my sister, Bernice. Should he be single at any time, I will then act within the law. I also agree that the above sum is settlement in full for any and all claims for money which I may have against him." It was signed "Virginia."

A little while after this incident, charged Snidow, his wife Bernice gave him a shock. She accused him of having had a romance with "my sister Virginia" and having kept it from her! Again, says Ralph, he reached into his pocket and handed over a \$20 bill.

All Very Confusing

But it was all very confusing to the young husband. He began to feel like a character in Shakespeare's "Comedy of Errors." It seemed to him that everywhere he turned twins were popping out at him. Gone was the peace of mind—and \$40—Ralph had once possessed. His romance and nerves were shattered.

And, finally, three months after he had joyfully taken Bernice as his bride, Snidow at long last made an astonishing discovery. There was no twin sister, he learned. Bernice and Virginia were really one person!

Ralph says he felt he had been duped. He didn't know what was what—or which—and bringing the case to court seemed to be the only way he could straighten out his dilemma. So he filed his unique annulment complaint—still, apparently, half anticipating that, in answer, Virginia and Bernice would laughingly appear together, side by side and hand in hand! But they didn't—so now Snidow's single again.



Wise and Otherwise.

Make-up that is proof against salt water is now available. This will be very useful for a temperamental girl bather who bursts into tears when she sees a rival on the beach in a more daring sunbathing suit than her own.

"Everybody ought to work for his corn," says a business man. Lots of people simply go hiking to get theirs.

A man in court said he had neither a car nor a radio because he felt he really couldn't afford them. What a quaint reason for not having a car or a radio!

A headmaster remarks that a wise boy does not repeat the mistakes and indiscretions of his father. Especially if his father happens to be listening.

"In marriage," remarks a novelist, "one must be self-sacrificing and thoughtful." A cynical husband says he knows which one that is.

"An egg that is boiled too long is apt to cause indigestion," says a doctor. An egg that is boiled too late destroys the appetite for boiled eggs.

"When a man starts working in his garden," says a writer, "time soon slips away." So does the man, if his wife doesn't keep an eye on him.

Scientists recently travelled thousands of miles to witness a total eclipse. All they need have done was to watch a bridegroom at a fashionable wedding.

"What do people see in shorts?" asks a correspondent. Hikers.

An explosion occurred in a milliner's shop last week, and hats were scattered all over the place. In fact, it looked just as woman writer. Spend it.

We read that a policeman who boy who had been caned, "It's the plays twelve different instruments is very modest about his musical accomplishments. He owns eleven of the instruments and borrows the other one so as not to be accused of blowing his own trumpet.

The sense of hearing, we read, is more acute if the eyes are closed. That is why so many guests at banquets struggle manfully to keep their eyes wide open during the speeches.

"Many young men suffer from stiff necks at the seaside," says a doctor. This painful complaint is the result of having the head turned by so many pretty girls on the promenade at once.

A correspondent states that if you suffer from rheumatism, what could be better than the neat juice of three lemons? Rheumatism.

An optimist is a man who has a good time thinking of the good time he would be having if he were having a good time.

A London magistrate has complimented one of the new public-school policemen on his handwriting. Copper-plate.

A dramatist says there is always something melancholy about a final performance. Especially camping holiday from August 1 to if it takes place the night after the first.

"What can the average house-salt water is now available. This will be very useful for a temperamental girl bather who bursts into tears when she sees a rival on the beach in a more daring sunbathing suit than her own.

"It's not the school," cried the principal of the village.

"Should a woman play the piano or the saxophone?" asks a writer. Well, she can't sing while she's playing the saxophone.

When a man goes away for a change he usually returns with less change than he started with.

"Moneylenders usually prefer complete privacy," remarks a writer. They play a loan hand.

A political speaker at a meeting in Madrid was unable to make himself heard because the thunder was so heavy overhead. They do not get enough storms in that country.

The liquor bill at a recent society ball was over £900. Must have been one of those brandy balls.

Cricket is now played in some of Britain's convict prisons, and it must be amusing to watch a bowler tempting the batsmen to hit him clean out of the ground.

A Scots farmer has sent every boy in his village away on a final performance. Especially camping holiday from August 1 to September 30. He must be a fruit-farmer.

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CORRESPONDENCE

HOUSING MATTER FOR LOCAL AUTHORITIES

Govt. Grant Needed For Slum Clearing

(To The Editor, "Sunday Herald")

Sir, — The question of slum clearing in Hong Kong is one that should interest every citizen of the Colony, irrespective of race or creed, but while it is a subject which should be given the widest publicity possible, one must be careful, in one's keen desire to place facts and figures before the public, not to be too enthusiastic and consequently advance plans that are impracticable due to sheer ambitiousness. It must be realised that in a scheme of such gigantic proportions a great many difficulties will be encountered to pull it through. A Housing Commission was appointed by the Government last year to deal with, amongst other things, the clearance of the slum areas and it is no doubt due to the difficulties encountered that their progress has been so slow.

Housing for the poorer classes is becoming more and more a matter for local authorities. Private enterprise has failed to supply a right type of housing and it now devolves on the Government to provide such housing, by direct action or through some form of building societies under Government control.

There has been a suggestion to transfer some of the people now living in the Colony's slum quarters to Lantau Island. The idea at first glance appears excellent but, after mature thought, it

seems impracticable mainly on account of lack of communications and water supply. The only area which appears to be suitable for this purpose is on the east end of the island, but even if the communications problem is solved, it seems extremely doubtful if suitable harbour facilities could be provided without undue expense.

As an alternative, however, there are many areas in the New Territories which appear suitable for settlement and which also possess adequate communication with Hong Kong and Kowloon. Un Long, Tai Po Market and Gin Drinkers' Bay are but three of the places that come to mind. There are many other suitable areas which might also be found in the New Territories which can be made easily accessible either by the construction of branch roads or branch railways.

However, that is a matter for the authorities alone. What I want to stress is that with the good name of Hong Kong at stake, every member of the community should help in this gigantic scheme by contributing towards a slum clearing fund. Government action, of course, is imperative in order to carry the scheme to a successful conclusion and for that reason I hope it will not be too much to ask the Government to set the ball a-rolling with a grant towards the fund.

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USE OF NEW TERRITORIES APPEARS ONLY LOGICAL SOLUTION

IN view of the great interest taken in the articles on slum clearing in Hong Kong, which appeared in the last four issues of the Sunday Herald, we have decided to publish yet another article on this subject, embodying the views of one who has taken the greatest interest in slum clearing in the Colony.

The authority concerned starts off by saying that it is a well-known fact that there is a good deal of overcrowding in Hong Kong but the trouble is that it is not known how extensive this overcrowding actually is, and until a general survey has been made, it would be impossible to make a report on the subject.

There appears to be, however, some 250 acres of land in which the population intensity is over 1,000 per acre, and an idea of how bad the overcrowding is may be better appreciated when it is stated that in England a population of 300 persons to the acre is considered a bad case, while in the very worst slum districts in England the population is seldom over 500 persons per acre.

To return to the 250 acres of congested area mentioned above, however, there are some 8,000 tenement houses in that area with a total population of over 300,000 people, and an average of about 40 to each tenement. The point is to find out how many of these tenements are overcrowded, for it is impossible, in cases of overcrowding, to work on averages.

In the same area there are nearly over 4,000 empty floors, while in the ones that are occupied there obviously must be some that are rented by small families, and thus the number of persons on the floor concerned does not come up to the limit allowed by the law, while it is also to be expected that on other floors overcrowding is rampant. As far as the 4,000 odd empty floors are concerned, no explanation can be obtained why they should be vacant, but it may be taken for granted that the reason is that either the landlords want too much money or that there is not sufficient means of livelihood in the neighbourhood, for it is an accepted fact that poor people must live near their work.



Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop, above, German Ambassador at Large, has recently been appointed German Ambassador to the Court of St. James.

Industry And Housing Relationship

THE relation between industry and housing is a very important one. The exact relationship between them, however, is particularly difficult to establish in Hong Kong, where "home industries" or work done in homes and not factories, give occupation to a large proportion of the population. The factory is a comparatively new innovation in Hong Kong, where the situation is similar to that prevailing in Europe, and particularly in England, at the beginning of the "Industrial Revolution" with, however, one notable difference. In England "home industries" were scattered about the countryside; they were abandoned when the population concentrated in the towns to work in the factories. In Hong Kong these home industries are concentrated in the towns, and the factories are trying to establish themselves in areas which are already congested in order to be near the supply of labour.

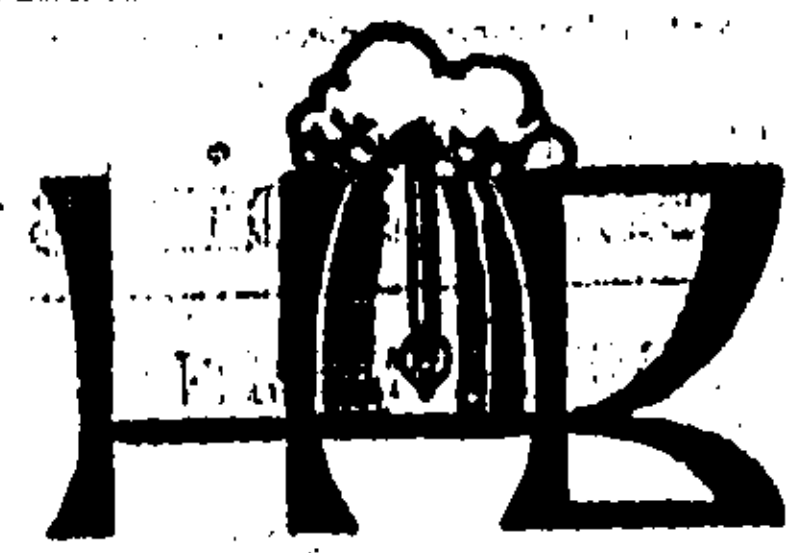
If the experiences of the other countries are any criterion, the factory will automatically kill the home industries, and if this be assumed as a working basis, then Hong Kong is in a fortunate position. Instead of new factories tending to concentrate a scattered people in a town, they can, if properly controlled, be utilised to attract an over-concentrated people of the town. There are many hundreds of acres of building land on the outskirts of Kowloon and many suitable areas in the New Territories where existing small towns can be extended or new towns established. These of the Colony's activities which must of necessity be centred round the harbour are cramped through over-concentration, a process which is still continuing, and the only remedy appears to be decentralisation, achieved by properly controlled industrialisation of suitable areas in the New Territories.

Having got so far, the difficulty now is to put the above into practice. The bigger concerns can go out to the New Territories and still provide their own housing for their employees, but the smaller ones cannot afford this and they cannot embark on any such scheme without a guarantee that sufficient houses would be available, and the only people who can guarantee sufficient housing is the Government or building societies run on the lines of those functioning at Home. One other thing that must be borne in mind is that these areas must have a ready water supply and a means to get rid of the sewage, not forgetting ready communication with suitable markets to dispose of the goods.

Rents One-Fifth Of Earnings

ONE other important reason for overcrowding is the inability of the poorer classes to pay even an economic rent for a flat, and from statistics gathered it is shown that the normal earnings of each family of about four people come to \$25 per month. It is a generally accepted principle that rents should be approximately one-fifth of the earnings, and for this reason the rent paid by the poorer classes should be about \$6. It is a condition of good housing that adequate decent accommodation should be provided for the poorer people at reasonable rents and it is in this respect that the present type of housing falls badly.

If the present type of houses is undesirable, it is no good putting up new houses on the same lines. The only thing is to re-plan the congested areas which are overbuilt and where no open spaces are provided, while bad communications are the rule rather than the exception. The first thing then is to reduce overcrowding. Having done that the overcrowding law should be enforced and then, only then, will we have made a start on this gigantic scheme of clearing the Colony of the slum areas.

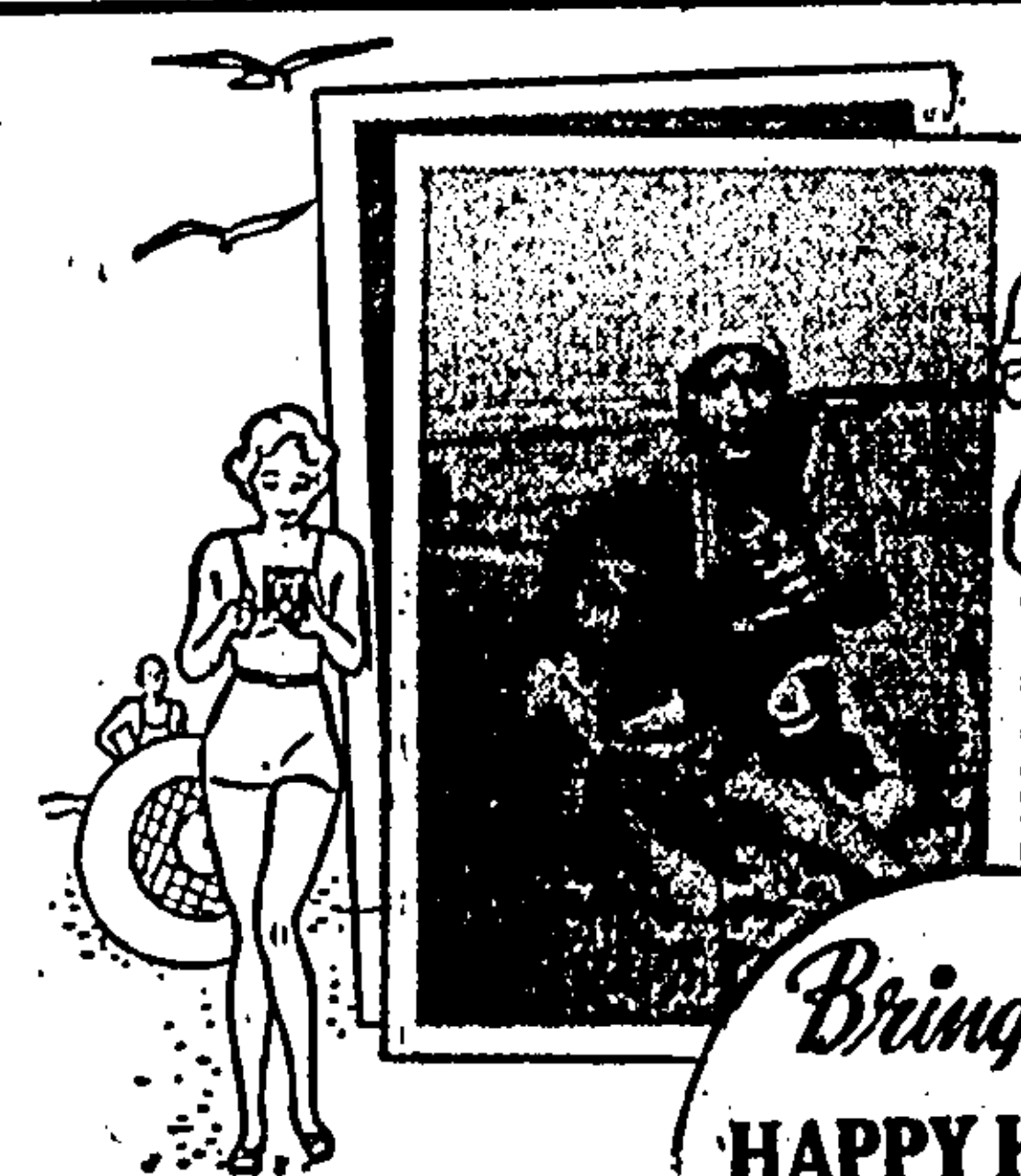


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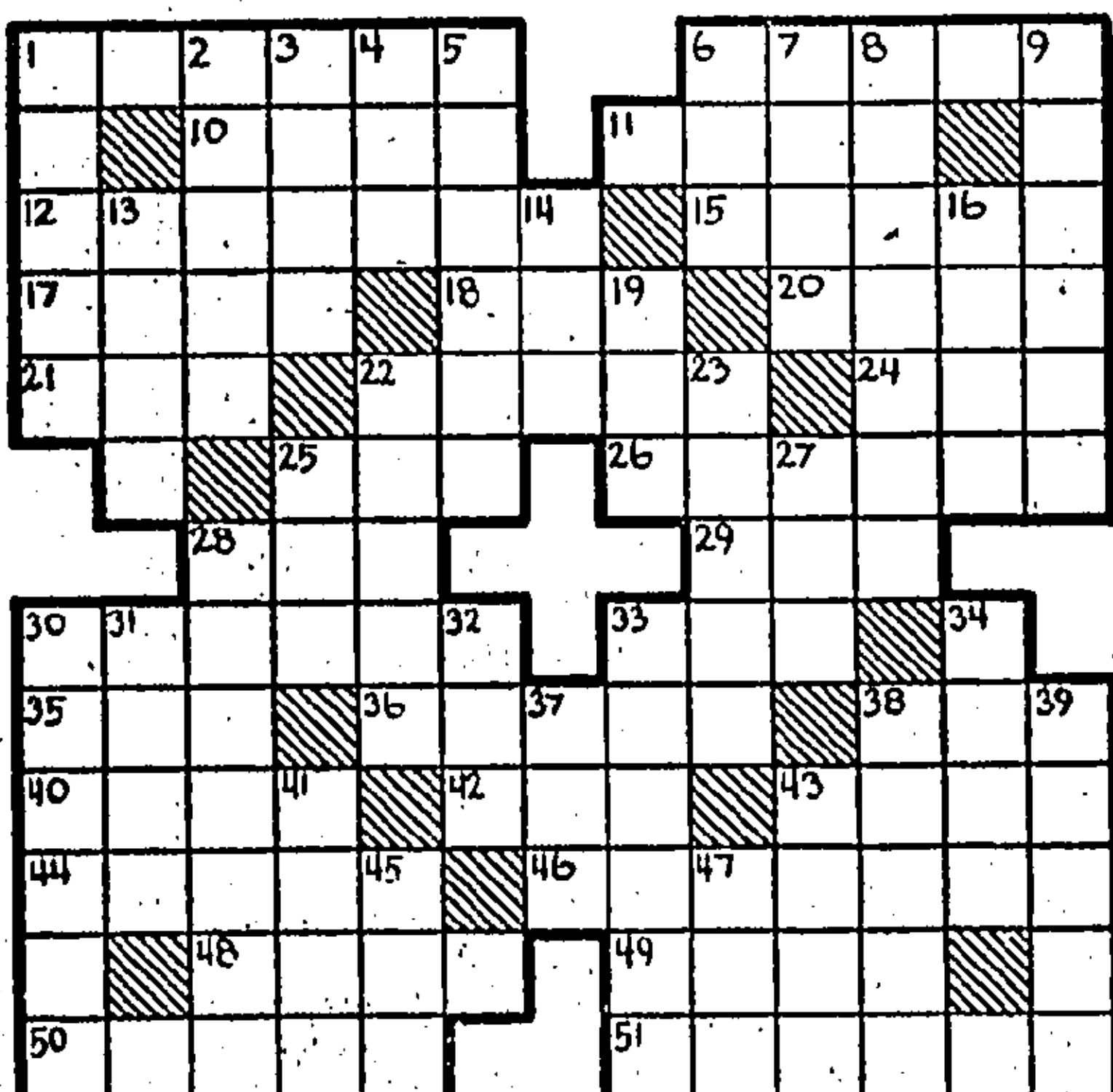
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OUR CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL

- 1-A package
- 6-Happen
- 10-Comfort
- 11-A dentist's drill
- 12-Heads
- 15-Abounds
- 17-Evenings (Foot.)
- 18-Summit
- 20-Brother of Jacob
- 21-A rodent
- 22-Rows
- 24-Addition
- 25-Salt (Lat.)
- 26-Withdraw
- 28-Pronoun
- 29-Speak
- 30-Slopes
- 35-Incise
- 35-Ever (contr.)
- 36-Small piece of rock
- 38-American novelist
- 40-A military signal
- 42-Consumes

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

- 42-Grasses
- 44-Army
- 45-Prickly, stinging sensations
- 46-Verbal
- 49-Girl's name
- 50-Stunted animals
- 51-Drug used to contract pupil of eye

VERTICAL

- 1-Dimmer
- 2-To set again
- 3-Felines
- 4-A compass point (abbr.)
- 5-An Old World leguminous plant
- 6-External
- 7-An in
- 8-A bur

VERTICAL (Cont.)

- 9-Recover
- 13-Man's name
- 14-A male descendant
- 16-A girl's name
- 19-By
- 22-Endures
- 23-Rush-like herb
- 25-Evil
- 27-Toothed wheel
- 28-A barbed weapon
- 30-Kind of dog
- 31-Character of Shakespeare
- 32-Sainte (abbr.)
- 33-Lure
- 34-Long, heavy stick
- 37-A grain
- 38-Covered with hair
- 39-Prussian city
- 41-Classify
- 43-A fabied demon
- 45-A dance
- 47-Numbers (abbr.)

CIGARETTE END RACKET

Practice That Should
Be Stamped Out

DISINFECTED RECEPTACLES REQUIRED IN STREETS

Have you ever noticed, when throwing a cigarette end away, that there is invariably somebody close at hand, ready to pick up the discarded stub? The first thought that flashes across the mind on an occasion such as this is that there is some poor man wanting a smoke but who is too poor to buy his own cigarettes.

In one case out of ten, perhaps, that is the real reason for the cigarette-stub grabbing fever, but there is a bigger reason, and a more serious one. Those people who gather cigarette ends are merely pawns in the game. The "big shots" (to use an Americanism) are those who buy these stubs and then, collecting the tobacco, manufacture brand new cigarettes. What better way can one think of spreading tuberculosis and other diseases?

Government Concern

Interviewed on the matter, Mr. R. R. Todd, Chairman of the Urban Council, said that the authorities were fully alive to this menace. It was a similar practice to that of collecting discarded tea leaves from spittoons in the Chinese eating houses and offering them for sale again after having dried them and mixed them with a small percentage of fresh leaves.

Mr. Todd added, however, that there was little that could be done. To make it an offence to pick up cigarette stubs would mean the



Charles Elliott, one-month-old, is here shown in the arms of a sailor of the U.S.S. Oklahoma at Bilbao, Spain. Charles, youngest American refugee, slept peacefully through all the fighting early last month. He was safely landed in France.

Departures By Coolidge

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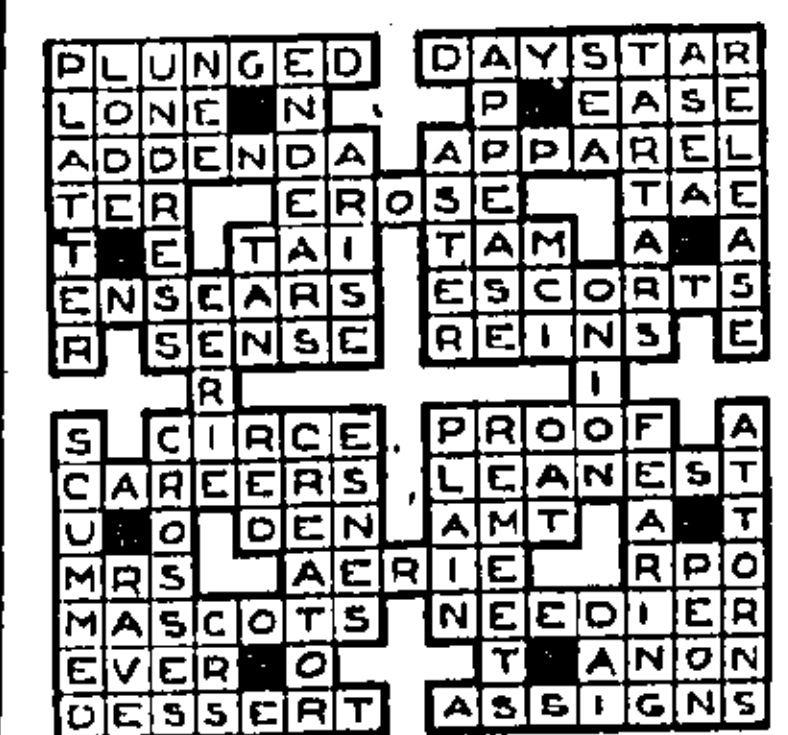
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employment of policemen specially to look after this matter, and even then, if and when those caught are convicted and fined, they are so poor as not to be able to pay such fines. The result would be they would be sent to gaol, all of which means additional expense with little good being achieved.

It seems, therefore, that nothing can be done about it except for the authorities to provide receptacles, with a quantity of disinfectant in them, at convenient corners, into which all cigarette ends should be thrown.

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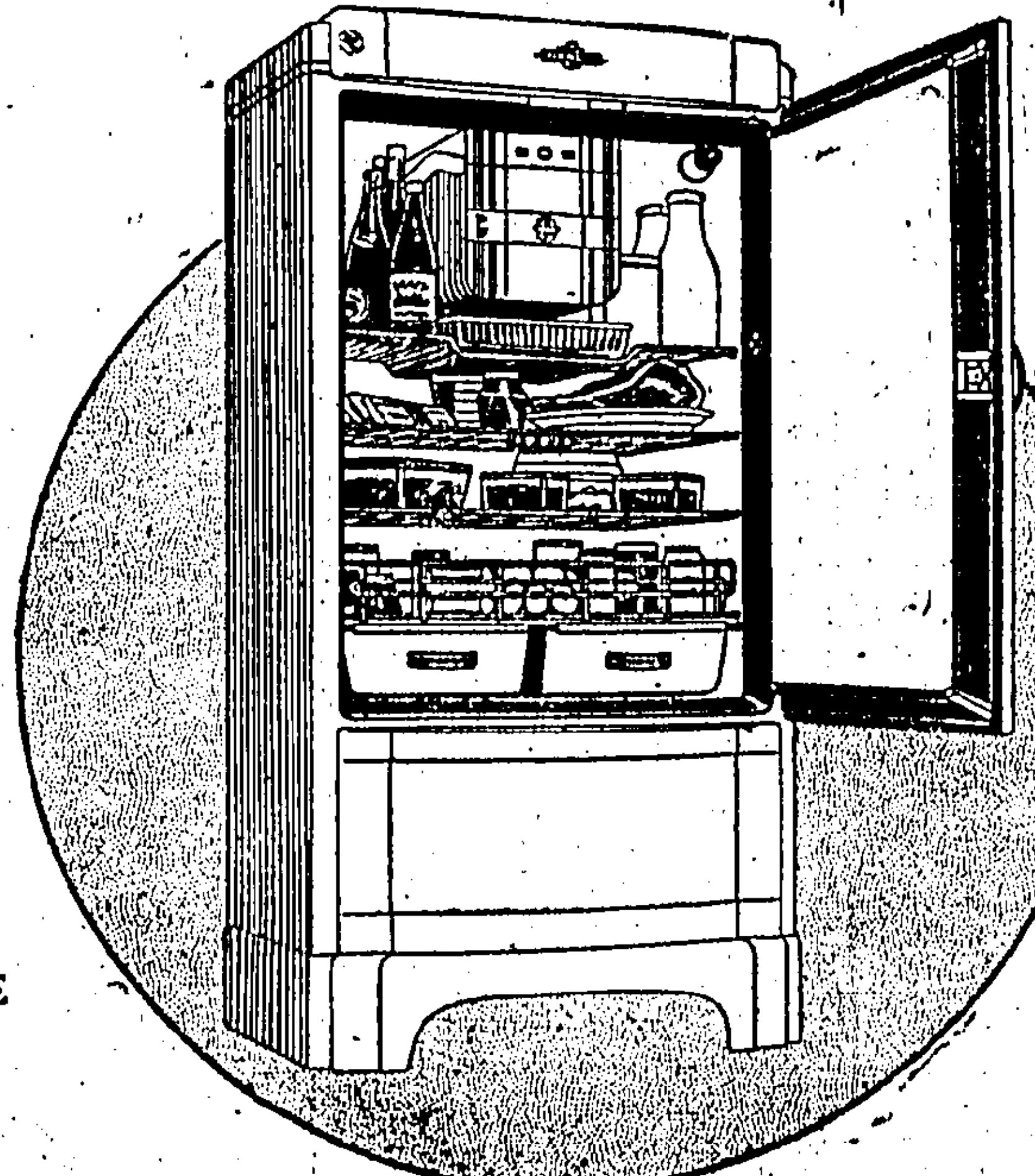
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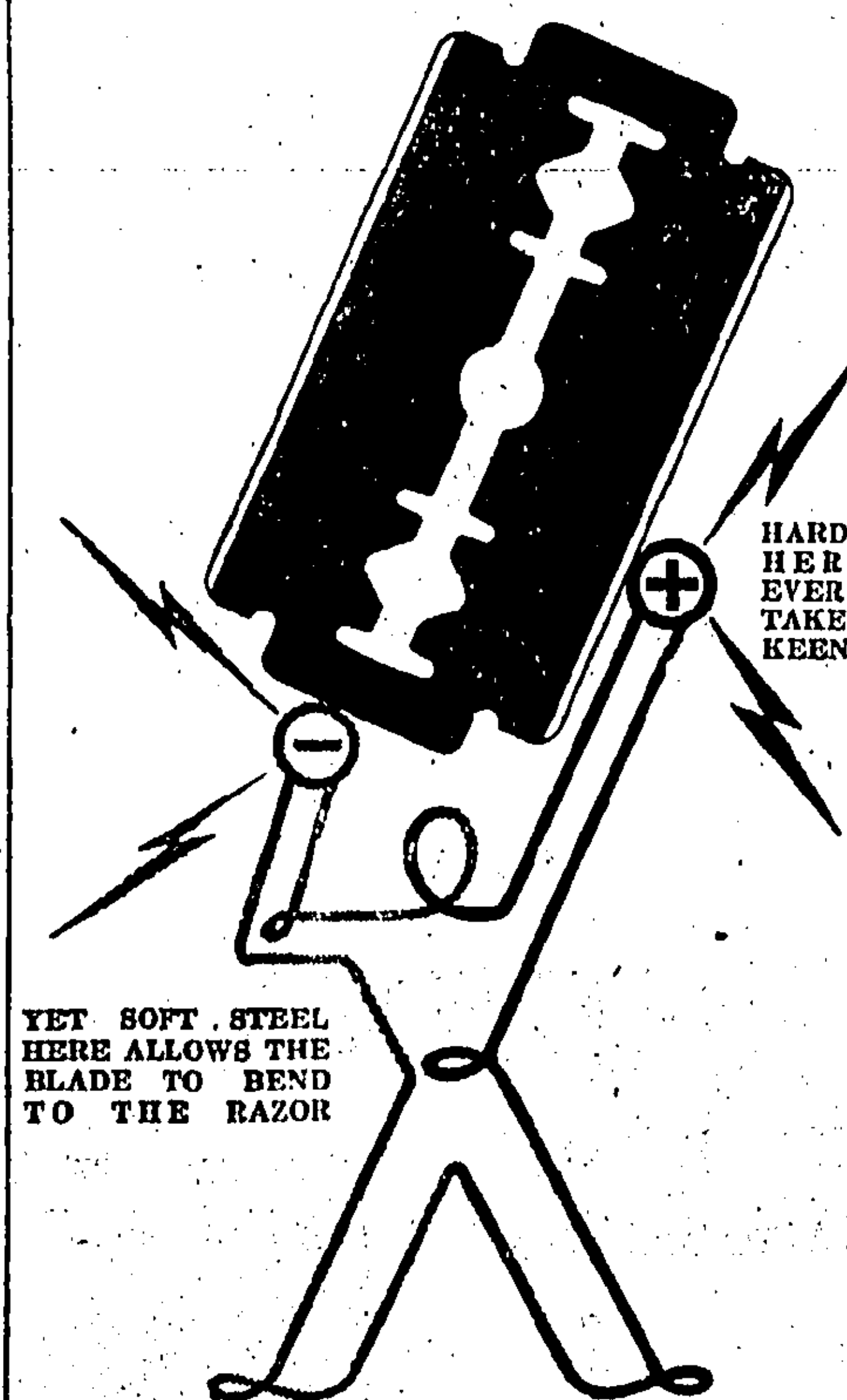
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SPANISH GOVT RESIGNS: CABALLERO FORMS NEW MINISTRY



The Spanish Government has resigned and Senor Largo Caballero, above, one of the most prominent Labour leaders, has formed a new Ministry. It is rumoured that the formation of the new Government indicates a stiffening of the official attitude towards the insurgents, with the prospect of a relentless fight to a finish.

LLOYD GEORGE IN GERMANY

Three Hours' Interview With Herr Hitler

Berlin, Yesterday. Mr. Lloyd George, accompanied by Herr von Ribbentrop, was received by Herr Hitler at his country house near Berchtesgaden yesterday. The interview lasted from 4 to 7 p.m., after which it was officially stated that the general political situation was discussed. Herr Hitler explained at some length the measures now being put into effect in Germany for economic reconstruction, such as road building and land settlement, in which Mr. Lloyd George showed special interest.—Reuter.

THRILLING RESCUE IN SPAIN

DARING DASH ACROSS FRONTIER

IRUN NOW SMOKING RUIN

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL
Berlin, Yesterday. The German News Agency representative in Hendaye writes that at 4 p.m. yesterday half Irun was in flames, one explosion following another. All kinds of militia and civilians are still pouring into Hendaye, and this city is the scene of indescribable confusion. Only after a detachment of 150 men from the 18th Infantry Regiment from Bayonne were sent was it possible for the authorities to maintain some kind of order.

On the Spanish side of the international bridge, some isolated Red Militia sentries still "hold the position", because it is impossible for the Nationalists to fire, as the bullets might hit the French sentries on the other side of the bridge.

These Red sentries, in their heedless frenzy, will not allow other Spaniards to seek safety in France. Finally one man, with a little child in his arms, dashed across the bridge, despite the bullets which the Reds sent after him, and managed to reach the French side in safety. Here he was received with cheers.

On the Spanish side of the bridge however, was his wife, with another child in her arms. The Hendaye representative of the French "Havre" news agency, under peril of his life, dashed across the bridge, threw himself flat on his face three times to dodge bullets, and reached the woman in safety, snatched the child from her, and dashed back. He was hailed as a hero when he returned, himself and the child safe. Then some French civilians

"armoured" their car with machine guns, and thus rescued the completely exhausted woman.

IRUN PRESENTED A TERRIBLE picture yesterday evening. Street fighting had practically ceased at 7 p.m., since the whole town is a mass of flaming ruins, one dynamited house after another blowing up. In this inferno there are still Red fanatics who dynamite the cellars of houses that still stand. The town is now burning at more than 100 places at once.

Fuenterrabia has also been evacuated. It is stated that over 5,000 refugees came to Franco yesterday. Among the refugees is the Governor of San Sebastian. He has given it to be understood that San Sebastian will surrender unconditionally, to avoid further bloodshed.

It is stated that the Reds have murdered the monks to the Monastery of Fuenterrabia, the Nationalists from planes having distinguished the corpses on the roof.

WAY OPEN TO TOLEDO
Paris: The Nationalists have won an important success at Talavera de la Reina, according to a broadcast by the Burgos station. The occupation of this town is important, since the way is now open to Toledo.

Madrid on the other hand claims that the Red Militia has ousted the Nationalists from Badajoz.

CATALAN ACTIVITIES
Hendaye: The Burgos broadcasting station announced yesterday that the Catalan authorities have mobilised for military service all men from the ages of 18 to 45, so as to be prepared



With the resignation of the Cabinet headed by Senor Jose Giral, above, former Minister of Marine, and the establishment of a Government headed by Senor Largo Caballero, it is expected that the struggle in Spain will be fought out to the bitter end.

against all possible attacks against Catalonia.

The Commander-in-Chief of the Catalan forces is Senor Giral, an ex-convict on whom the title "General of Catalonia" has been conferred. The Catalan Red Militia is said to have murdered an Andorran subject, named Calvet, as well as a Spanish priest.

FRENCH DEMAND

Paris: The immediate raising of the arms embargo to Spain by France is demanded by the Secretary-General of the French Communist Party, who, in a letter to the Socialist Party, proposes that both parties should send a joint deputation to the Premier, M. Blum, to request him to take this step, which is so vital for the cause of the Spanish Republic and liberty.

This demand, as the Secretary-General states, is justified, as it is reported that Italy has delivered

RELENTLESS FIGHT TO FINISH

FRENCH COMMENT ON SITUATION

REBELS COMMENCE ATTACK ON SAN SEBASTIAN AS IRUN FALLS

Hendaye, Yesterday. Irun is now a mass of smoking ruins. The last militiaman has crossed the frontier, and all resistance is finished. The insurgents are still not in possession of the whole town. They are advancing prudently, fearing a trap, but for all practical purpose Irun is completely in the hands of the insurgents.

It is reported that a bombardment of the advanced positions of the Government forces at San Sebastian has begun. The rebels are massing troops north-east of the town which, it is rumoured, may surrender to avoid street fighting.

Madrid: The Spanish Government has resigned, and Senor Largo Caballero, the Socialist leader, has formed a new Ministry, with Senor Alvarez de Vayo as Foreign Minister.

24 PLANES TO THE NATIONALISTS

Paris: It is announced that the Madrid Government has recalled its Ambassador to Lisbon, Senor Martinez Lopez.

GIRAL CABINET RESIGNS
Madrid: The Giral Cabinet resigned yesterday, making way for a Socialist Cabinet under Senor Largo Caballero, who also takes the Portfolio of War Minister. The ex-Premier, Senor Giral, remains in the Cabinet as Minister without Portfolio.

Through the new Cabinet, the influence of the bourgeois parties is now entirely eliminated. The Cabinet is composed as follows:

Premier and War Minister, Senor Largo Caballero, Socialist;
Foreign Minister, Senor Alvarez de Vayo, Socialist;
Marine and Air Minister, Senor Prieto, Socialist Labour leader;
Finance Minister, Senor Juan Negrin, Socialist;
Education Minister, Senor Jesus Hernandez, Communist;
Trade Minister, Senor Anastasio de Garcia, Socialist;
Public Works, Senor Aguirre, Basque Nationalist;
Justice, Senor Ruiz Funes, Left Republican;
Agriculture, Senor Luis Uribe,

Paris: The formation of the new Madrid Government indicates a stiffening in the resistance to the insurgents and calls a relentless fight to a finish, according to French diplomatic circles. Senor Caballero is one of the most prominent labour leaders in Spain and is opposed to the monarchy. He received a life sentence in 1917 in consequence of extremist activities.

It is stated that the new Foreign Minister is a journalist, with reputed Francophile tendencies. Another outstanding figure in the new Ministry is Senor Indalecio Prieto, Minister of the Navy and Air, who possesses more moderate tendencies than Senor Caballero.

ITALIAN PLANE MYSTERY

London: The Spanish Charge d'Affaires has directed the attention of the Foreign Office to the report of the landing of 24 Italian planes at Vigo. The Foreign Office

Communist;
Transport, Senor Giner de los Rios, Republican Union;
Labour Minister, Senor Tomas Piron, Catalan Left.—Trans-Ocean Service.

INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE

Proposed Formation In London

GERMANY AND PORTUGAL WANT MORE DATA

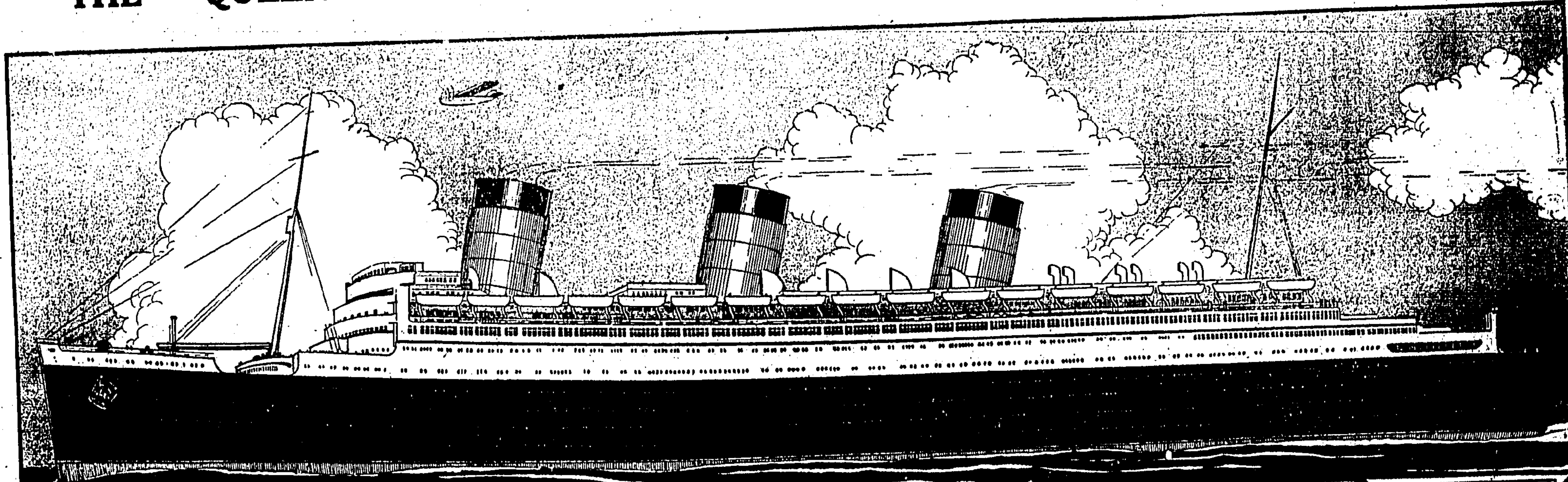
London, Yesterday. The proposal for an International Committee to act as a clearing-house in connection with the agreement among the outside States for non-intervention in the Spanish civil war has now been accepted by most of the Governments who subscribed to the original agreement. The German and Portuguese Governments, however, have indicated that they are unable to give a final answer to the urgent representations which have been made to them by both the British and French to join in the establishment of the committee without more precise information as to the nature and scope of its functions.

It has always been the intention of the British Government, in agreement with the French, that the committee should deal only with questions arising from the various declarations of non-intervention. After consultation with the French Government the British Government has now sent instructions to its representatives in Berlin and Lisbon, and strong hopes are entertained that the explanations to be offered will prove satisfactory to both the German and Portuguese Governments, so that it will be possible for the international committee to meet in London early next week.—British Wireless Service.

Itself has received an independent report confirming the statement that an Italian ship, arrived at Vigo on August 28 with 24 planes for disembarkation.

It was on August 28 that the Italian Government first put into operation the embargo on the export of arms to Spain, and the ship, in question must have passed out of Italian jurisdiction some days previously.—Reuter.

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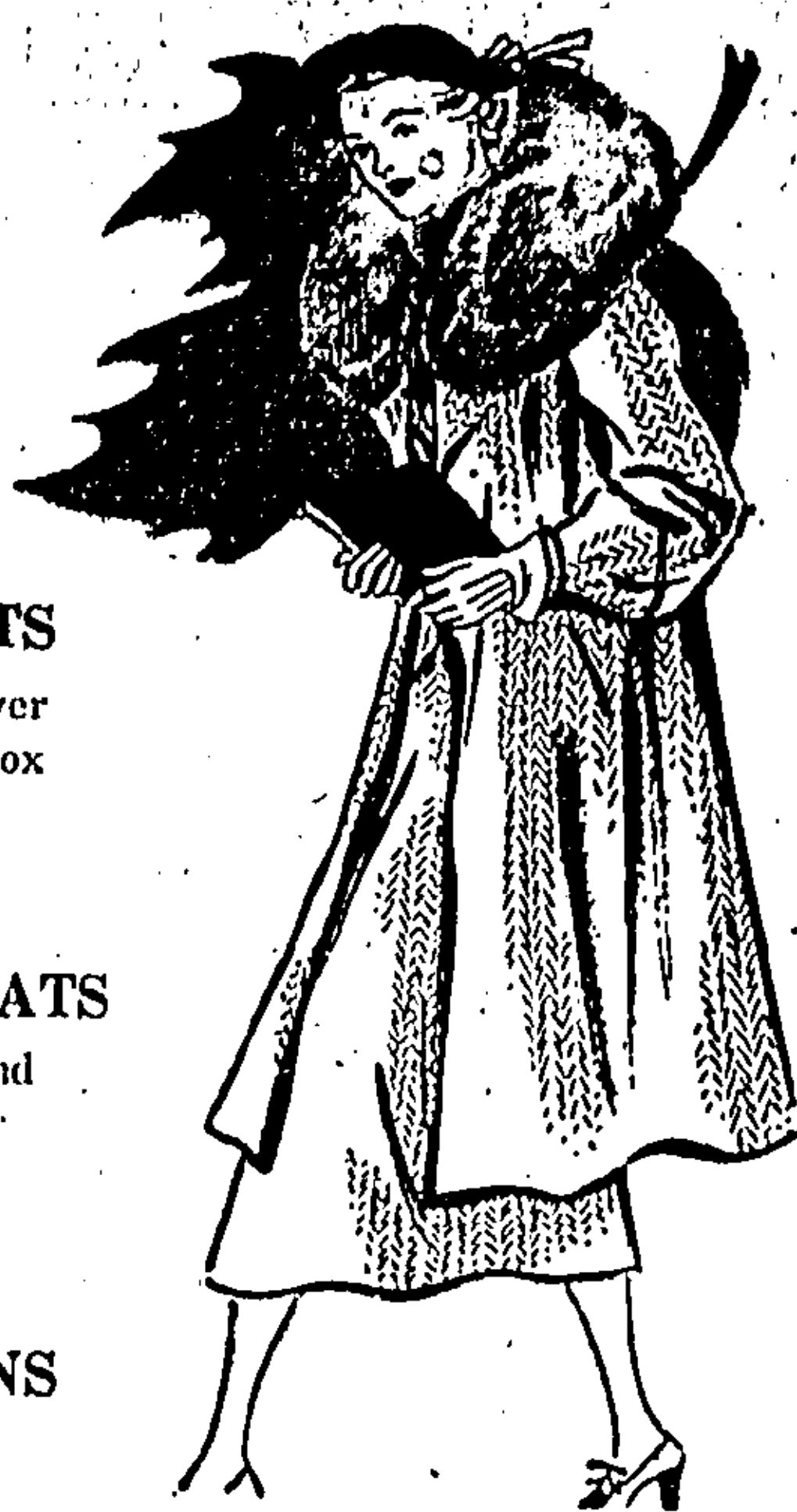
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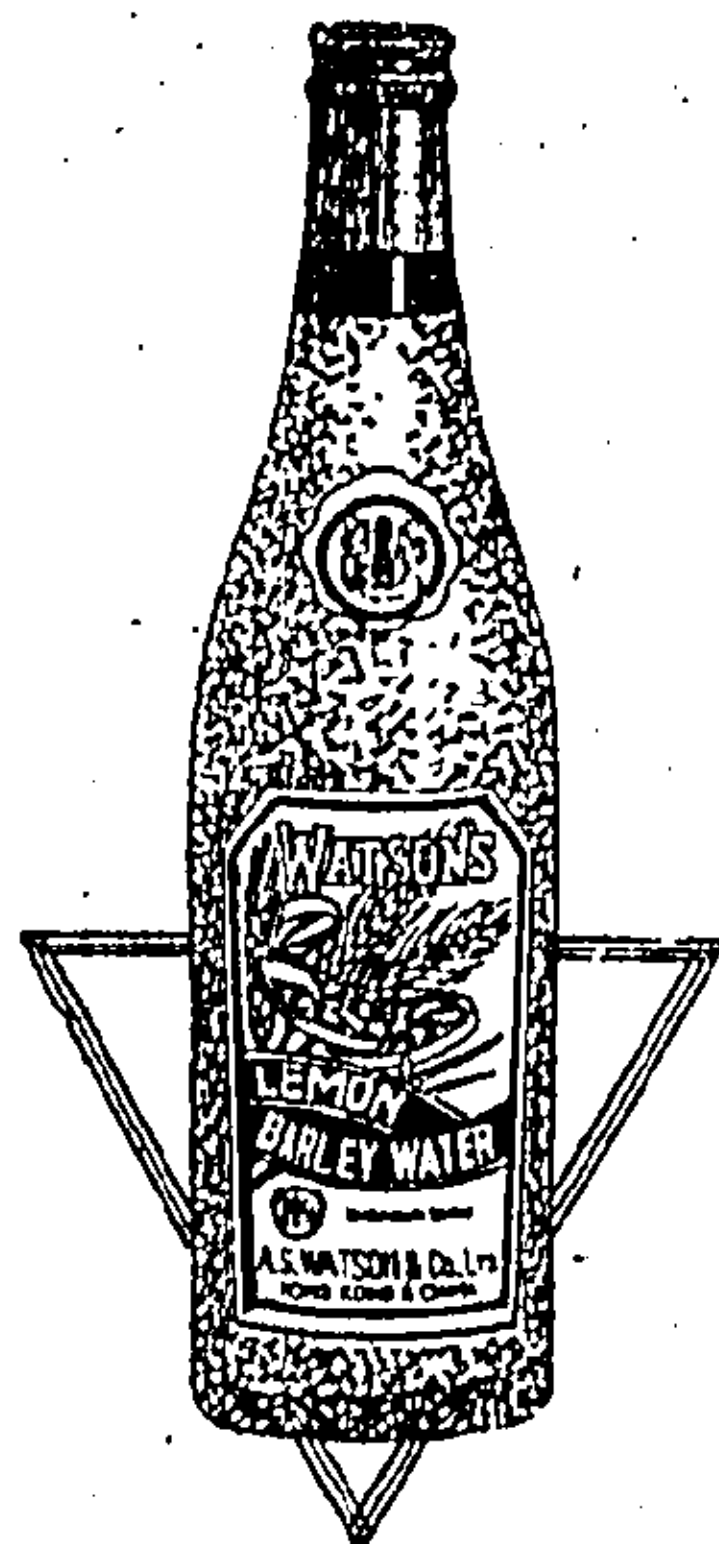
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It is not to be expected that we shall be told the full course of the negotiations at Nanning at any early date—if ever. Nor do the details concern foreigners, who are impressed by the enormous folly that a civil war would be, but are otherwise conscious of merely a wish that a settlement be reached as early as possible with as little damage to the public Treasury as may be, and on terms which will ensure that there shall be no more local and incalculable obstacles added to the tariff collected by the Maritime Customs. There seems to be no fear that some sort of an agreement will be devised, even if the salvation of face requires some show of force as one of the elements of the negotiations. The auguries are, first, that if the revolt was seriously meant the stand would have been made by the two "Kwangs" when the Government forces came south and the two provinces were still united; second, that men who are prepared, in the words of General Li Chung-jen, to "fight to the last man," cannot be expected to stand to arms while their leaders hold a friendly discussion with the enemy and then raise the required amount of resentment because those leaders are dissatisfied with the offer of pensions or other compensation in which the man in the ranks will have no share. Perhaps one might add as a further indication that the troops that moved on Pakhoi have been described as "bandits." In diplomacy a bandit is a soldier whom it is advisable to disavow.

It is doubtful if many people estimate the importance of the operations which are going on so near us as highly as they ought. Canton, as not merely a friendly ally but an active member of the national organism, is not merely of prime importance to Nanking, but essential, and its usefulness might easily be nullified by a recalcitrant Kwangsi. The future fortunes of Hong Kong are also involved, for as Canton becomes more important as a gate of commerce with the outside world friendship with Hong Kong becomes a key to prosperity for the interior in a sense that it has never been before.

When all allowances have been made for the growth of internal industries, it remains true that China is essentially a trading nation, and that if free contact with the outside world should ever be cut off or even come under foreign control—particularly if the control were not too friendly—it would be impossible to maintain the national independence. The prospects of that free intercourse are not so clear as they were a few years ago, for there is no question of the Japanese ascendancy in the Yellow Sea. Tientsin is required to install an administration whose policy will be of a "friendly tenor" to Japanese ambitions in the north, and the Hopei tariff, with its different rates and discriminative collection, is a falling away from the central control. Shanghai is a Treaty Port, where Japan is already claiming a separate Concession, and is not under Chinese control; and even the International Concession has a time-limit that may bring controversy in the future, even if things are maintained in their present position in the meantime. Other outlets, for one reason or another, need not be considered as gateways of the required convenience and capacity.

There remains only Canton, and this month, which has inaugurated a regular train service on the Canton-Hankow line, tapping the centre of the country, begins a new era. The Central Government has now an alternative route, the importance of which is likely to increase from year to year, more especially if the expense of a needless transshipment is saved by that little loop which Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek favours, in contradistinction to the short-sighted opposition of the ex-Governor, Chen Chai-tong. In looking ahead to "what may be" there is nothing antagonistic to Canton itself, for Hong Kong resembles any other port in having common interests with its hinterland. The port and those who use it must prosper together or not at all, and the only wisdom is to remove all unnecessary obstacles to a trade which may reach proportions that would have amazed the pioneers of this Colony—and even some of their successors.

SILVER WEDDING

HANCE—CHURCHILL—On 6th September 1911 at H. B. M. Consulate and at The English Church, Nagasaki, Japan, by the Ven: Archdeacon A. B. Hutchison, Julian Henry Reginald Hance, youngest son of the late Dr. H. F. Hance, H. B. M.'s Consular Service, China, to Edith Flora Churchill (nee Cooper) youngest daughter of the late Henry Cooper of Shanghai.

Hong Kong Personalities

Continuing the exclusive series of sketches of leading Colony residents by Mr. A. S. Kony, the talented Hungarian artist.



MR. H. W. MERRICK

OUR Personality this week is Harvie Wordman Merrick, Acting District Manager of the Confederation Life Association of Canada.

Although Mr. Merrick bears a striking resemblance to Max Philander, that famous moving-picture actor of the silent screen, he has nothing else in common with the cinema actor! Neither is he a "philanderer." On the contrary, Mr. Merrick gives the impression of an energetic and serious young business man.

He was born in Barrie, Ontario, Canada, where he received his early education. Later, he entered the University of Toronto and, after graduation, joined the Confederation Life Association of Canada. He was at first attached to the head office, but after a year's stay there he was transferred to the Toronto branch office, where he spent three years; the first two years of his stay as cashier and the last year as Branch Secretary. The following year he was again transferred, this time to Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada, in the capacity of branch secretary. He remained in Saskatoon two years, after which he moved to Shanghai, where for three years he was residential secretary. During this time he was for six months the acting Divisional Manager for China. About a year ago Mr. Merrick came to Hong Kong as manager of his firm's Hong Kong and South China office.

Although Mr. Merrick is a busy man, he is a keen sportsman. He plays tennis and golf, but his favourite recreation is sailing—he is a Life Member of the Shanghai Yacht Club. In Shanghai he was secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Club for three years. During his years at Toronto University he was a baseball enthusiast and a member of the nine. He is also a lover of music and while at school he was active in several musical societies.

Mr. Merrick is a Mason, affiliated to Kerr Lodge, Barrie, Canada. His father, incidentally, has been prominent in Canadian Masonic circles for the past 30 years. He is at present Deputy District Grand Master for the Georgian District and in 1935 was Grand Registrar, Knights Templar for Canada.

TO-DAY'S QUOTATION

Verily those who are patient in adversity and forgive wrongs, are the doers of excellence.
—MOHAMMED.

THE H.K. WORKING ARTISTS GUILD WHAT THE INSTITUTION IS ACCOMPLISHING VISION OF THE FUTURE DISCLOSED

WHEN some 18 months ago four ladies, all interested in art, took a small studio together, and called themselves the Hong Kong Working Artists Guild, among the few who knew anything about it, some smiled and others were a little indignant. There existed already a Hong Kong Art Club, and that word "working" seemed, did it not, just a little offensive?

"In any case it won't last," said soothing friends, "so what does it matter?" But it did last and the membership grew slowly and steadily, drawing into the circle of the Working Artists Guild both Chinese and English artists and quite a considerable number of service-men.

Early this year a new studio which would be always available for the Guild was rented in Wanchai and a real art school atmosphere rapidly developed. Models were hired and classes, some formal, some informal, arranged. Still the sceptics shook their heads; there was no real organisation, no professor, nothing in the way of funds; the whole thing was without solid foundation, just a few enthusiasts headed by Mrs. A. N. Macfadyen groping after they knew not what.

That Shook 'Em

Then H.E. the Governor signified his interest and not only became a member but visited the studio in an informal manner. We know Hong Kong and that, to put it vulgarly, shook 'em! But before this others, less important socially but really more significant to the purpose of the Guild, had been enrolled, among the member-ship being several practising Chinese artists, not amateurs but themselves professors in Chinese Art schools. Unless it has very bad luck the Hong Kong Working Artists Guild has come to stay and is to-day only a very faint shadow of what it will be in the future.

Five Years Ago

(Extracts from the Sunday Herald of September 6, 1931.)

In spite of the inclement weather, the swimming gala at the Victoria Recreation Club last night was very successful. In the 100 Yards free-style, W. Lawrence beat S. V. Gittens by a touch. W. Stoker beat F. Silva in the one length under-water event.

The 13 swimmers to represent the Colony in the Interport at Shanghai were given a rousing send-off when the a.s. President Cleveland sailed just after midnight. J. A. Victor, the Colony's leading representative in the Long Plunge event, was unable to obtain leave at the last moment.

S/Sgt. John Langau, R.A.M.C., and Miss Mary Wilson Nicholls were married yesterday at the Union Church, Kennedy Road. The Rev. Frank Short officiated.

"HERALD" CALENDAR

September 8, 1867.—Great Typhoon in Hong Kong.
September 8, 1908.—His Imperial Highness, Prince Tsai Tai visited Hong Kong.
September 8, 1922.—Peak Hospital leased to Government.
September 9, 1859.—Sir Hercules Robinson became Governor of Hong Kong.
September 9, 1916.—Helena May Institute, Hong Kong, opened.
September 10, 1883.—Riot by Chinese mob at Canton.

GOVERNMENT APPOINTMENTS

The following Government appointments etc. are notified in the Government Gazette:

Mr. John Alexander Fraser, M.C., is attached to the Attorney General's Department as from September 4;
Mr. John Crichton-McDonnell is to be an Assistant to the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, with effect from August 23.

The essential aim of the Guild has been, from the beginning, to give artists, whether amateurs or professionals, facilities which were hitherto not to be found in Hong Kong: first, a permanent centre, a studio where they can work, meet, hold classes or receive teaching; second, an organisation which can help them through personal introduction or by arranging exhibitions to make their art something more than an unprofitable if delightful hobby; and third, and possibly most significant, an organisation which offers an opportunity to European and European-trained artists to study the traditional art of China and see the work actually being done.

Need Is There
At first little beyond this was envisaged, but it now seems as if the Guild might start with confidence on the beginnings of something more, a real international school of art situated in Hong Kong.

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LOCAL SHARE MARKET

Confidence In Local
Issues

RESULT OF IMPROVED CHINA
SITUATION

During the last week interest has been swinging from gold-mining towards stocks of our local companies, stated Mr. C. A. L. Rickett, Secretary of the Stock Exchange, when interviewed by the Sunday Herald yesterday. Buyers predominated in the market from the commencement of the week, and higher price levels were recorded throughout. Banks and Unions rose to \$1,600 and \$575 respectively. Business was put through in Wharves at \$105, Providents at \$2 and Hotels at \$6.15. Lands were in demand at \$41, but at the close business was put through at \$40. Sales were reported in Trans at \$13.75, Star Ferries at \$92, China Lights at \$13.80, Electrics at \$55.50, Telephones at \$29, Cements at \$11.70, and Ropes at \$4.15. Watsons were in demand at \$4.85.

Confidence Restored
The improved political situation in China appears to be making a favourable impression on this market, and restoring the confidence of investors in local stocks.

Gold-mining stocks have shown little change worth recording with the exception, however, of San Maurice, which rose from Pesos 1.90 to Pesos 2.50.

A fair turnover in this section of the market has been reported during the week, the market closing quietly steady.

Overheard

Remember Windows?

"In about fifty years or more, a grandfather will say to his granddaughter, 'I can remember when they had queer things in houses called windows!'"—H. G. Wells.

Authoritative Government
"I Duce believes in just as authoritative government as Plus XI believes in an authorised religion."—Mrs. Jackson Fleming.

Bureaucracy
"A bureaucracy is at base ways an evil.... We want to the work, not prolong it as bureaucracy would."—Col. The Roosevelt.

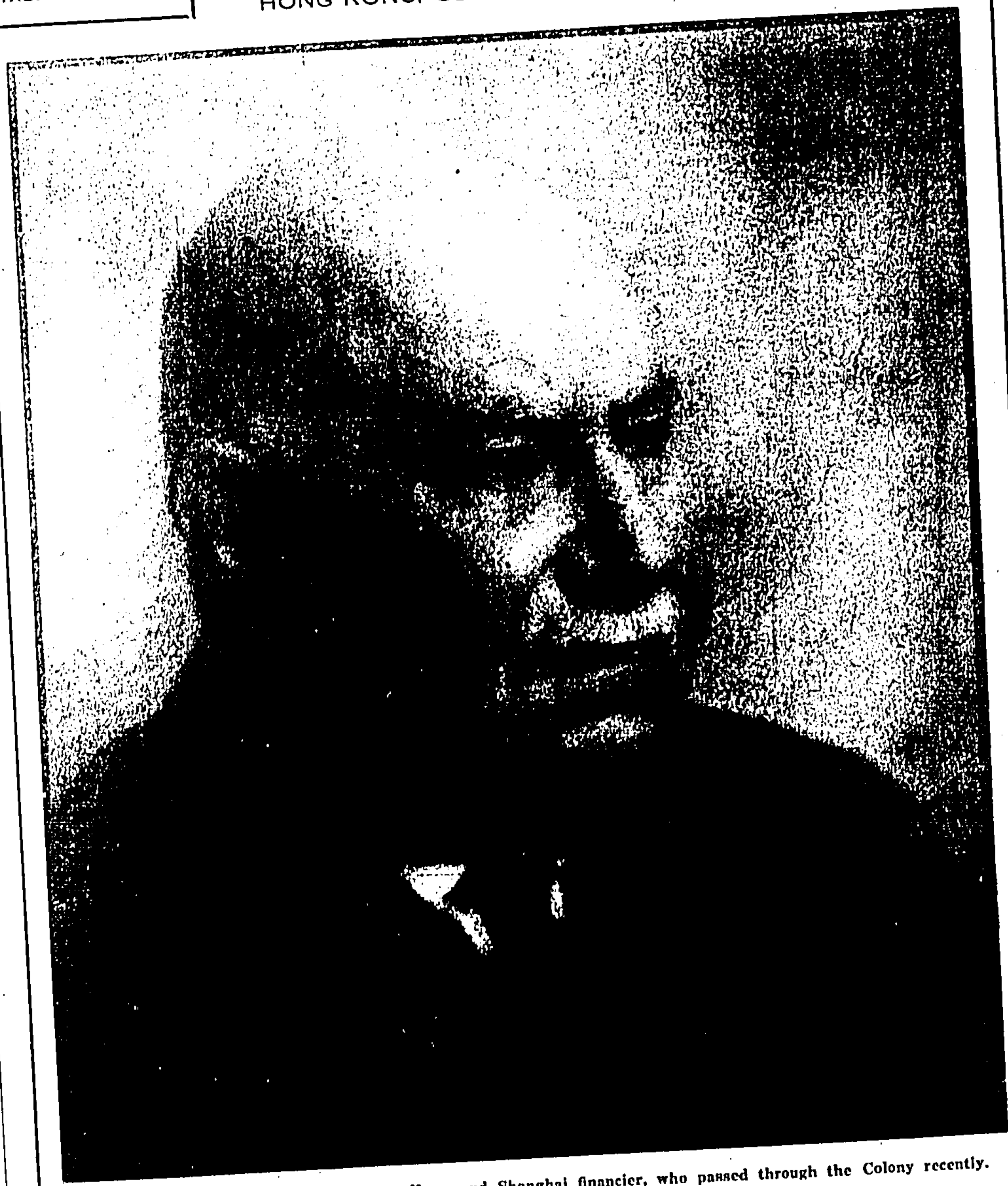
Peace Lovers
"No man or woman who anything of the Great War other than a lover of peace Bernard M. Baruch."

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"If the listener constantly 'I beg pardon,' the speaker realize that he is utterly alone in his manner of expression. E time that he is asked to repeat should regard the request as criticism."—Sophie C. Hadden "Your Telltale English."

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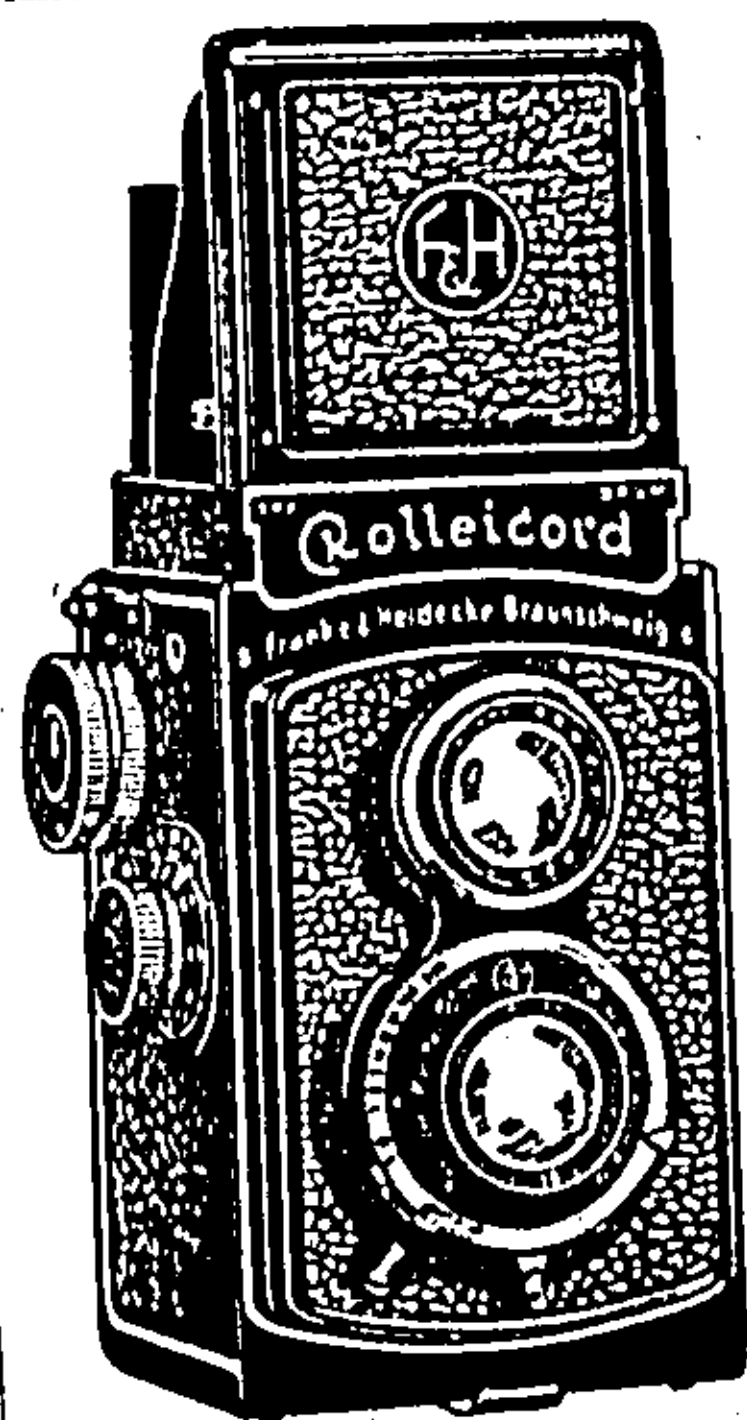


Sir Elly Kadoorie, the well-known Hong Kong and Shanghai financier, who passed through the Colony recently.
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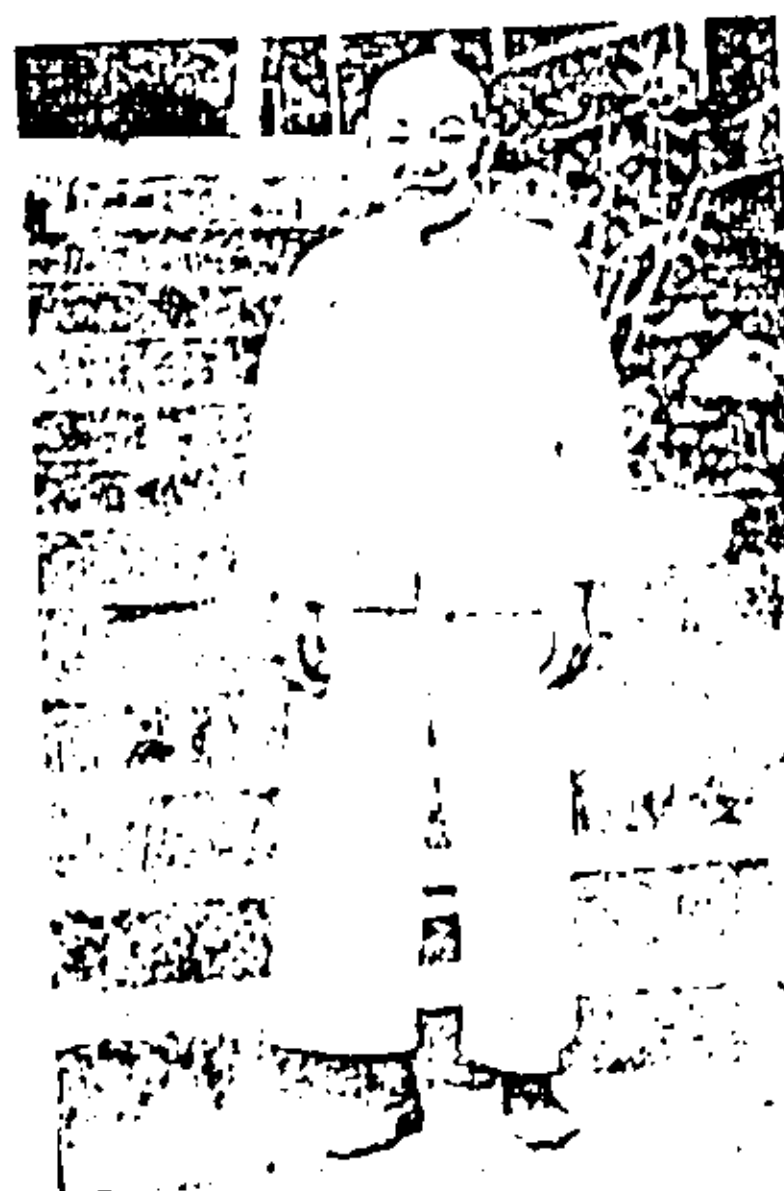
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Mr. and Mrs. H. C. R. Bloom, (top left), had been residents in the Peak Hotel for over two years. They are now staying at Repulse Bay Hotel. ("Herald" photo).



Left: Mrs. Reid, wife of Col. Reid, at the reception office just before her departure from the hotel. ("Herald" photo).



Lower left: Mr. Cheung was looked upon as part of the Hotel. He had been an employee there for 38 years, first joining when Mr. Findlay Smith ran the place. In recognition of his long and faithful service he has been given a pension by the Hong Kong and Shanghai Hotels Ltd. ("Herald" photo).



Mrs. K. Begdon caught by the camera as she was going down to her room to complete her packing. She said that it was "very sad to have to leave the old place." ("Herald" photo).



Mr. Tang Yim, the compradore at the Hotel, has been 35 years with the Hong Kong and Shanghai Hotels Ltd. ("Herald" photo).

Photos Taken At
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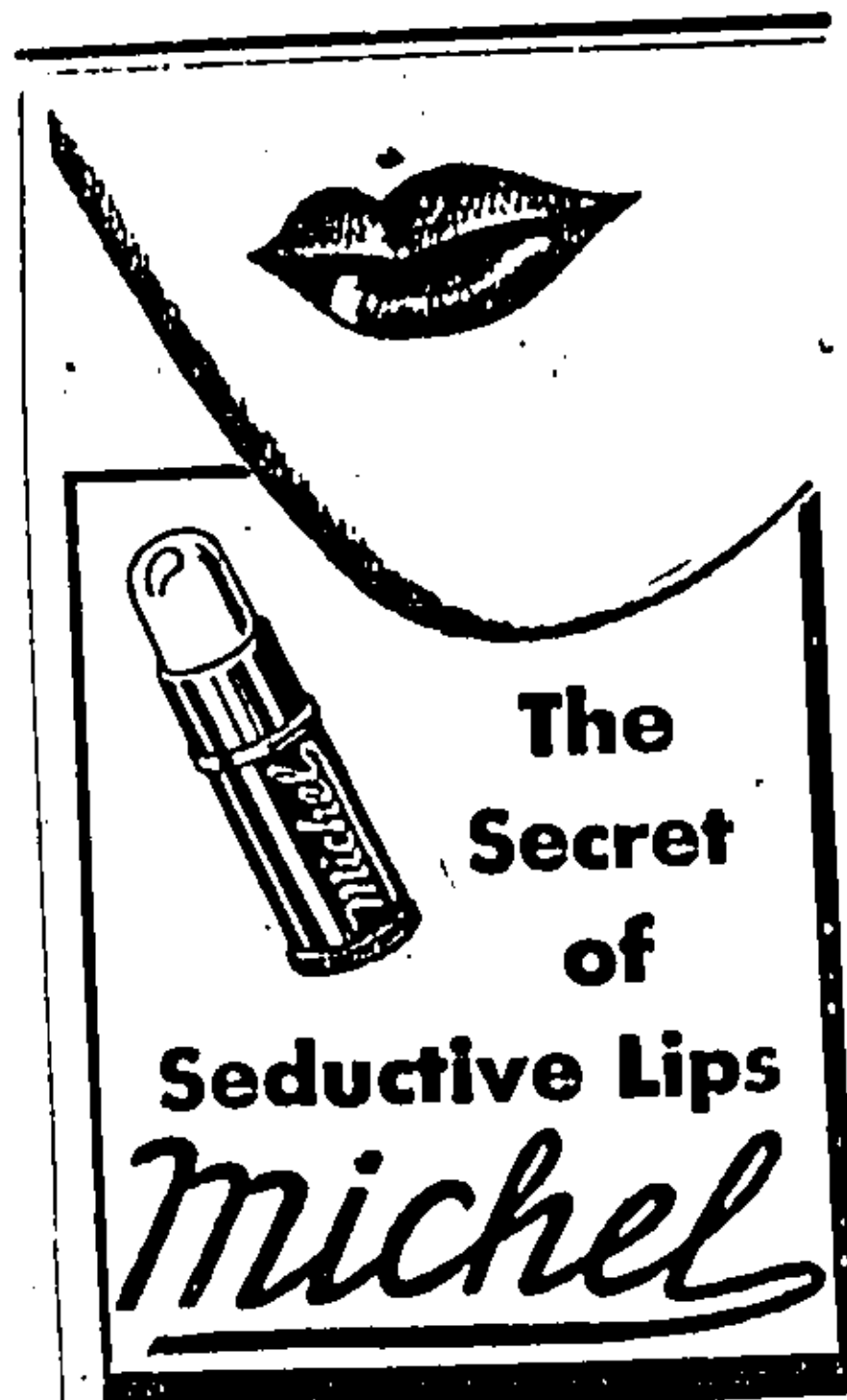
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Mainly about WOMEN



Mrs. J. P. Whitham, who has only recently returned to the Colony from England, and Miss Whitham, sister of the well-known Interport Rugby player, photographed at the reception held last Monday at the Hong Kong Club in honour of the birthday of Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands. ("Herald" photo).

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SHALL we have some more "news" of the extraordinary attainments of women? The success of women in getting and holding what are considered the really masculine jobs is by no means a matter of everyday occurrence. In a world where countries like France do not allow women the right to vote, where States like New York do not permit them to sit on juries, and where a land like England prohibits them from serving their homeland as diplomats, the fact that women have managed to break through the restrictions and take first place in "masculine" fields remains news.

It was the Soviet Union which broke all precedents by sending the beautiful Madame Alexandra Kollantay, daughter of a former Russian Admiral and co-worker with Lenin, to Norway as political and trade representative in 1920. Later she was sent to Mexico, where her stay was a stormy one. To-day she is Russia's Ambassador to Sweden.

Three years ago the United States followed suit when President Roosevelt appointed Ruth Bryan Owen as Minister to Denmark. In 1934 this second lady diplomat in the world visited Greenland, where a cairn, built in her honour, marks the northernmost point ever visited by a diplomat, male or female. Most recently Mexico has increased the number of women diplomats on the globe to three by sending Palma Guillen as her Minister to Colombia.

Another field in which men have consistently belittled women's prowess is science. There is the old cry, "Women have good instincts, but certainly no mathematical talent." Yet when Amalie Emmy Noether died last year at Byrn Mawr, where she had come as an exiled Jewess from Germany, Dr. Hermann Weyl, of the Institute of Advanced Study at Princeton, declared that she was one of the 10 leading mathematicians in the world. He said that Emmy Noether had originated a new

style of thinking in algebra that had influenced all mathematicians, and that she was a real genius, one of the greatest the mathematical world had ever produced.

Nor was Emmy Noether alone in scientific eminence among her sisters. In Germany to-day there is a 73-year-old Agnes Pockels who, although as a woman she had to study alone till the English physicist, Lord Rayleigh, had her work published for her, is to-day acknowledged as a founder of the knowledge of physical chemistry because she discovered the phenomenon known as surface tension.

In Paris there is Dr. Dorothea K'empke Roberts, who was the first woman ever to receive the Sorbonne's degree from the Sorbonne and who was recently made a Knight of the Legion of Honour for her long services to French astronomy in her 48 years at the Paris Observatory, where she was the first woman ever allowed to work.

In the United States Dr. Annie Cannon is the foremost woman astronomer. One of the limited number of "sky experts," man or woman, in the world, Dr. Cannon has the distinction of having discovered and catalogued more stars than anyone else anywhere. Of the honours which she holds, there are a number which are unique with her.

Even more unfeminine than science is the railway business and yet here, too, women occupy some high posts. Olive Dennen, for instance, who was the first woman member of the American Railway Engineering Society, is to-day an engineer of service, equipped to report on conditions of pieces of track, the performances of locomotives, the operating of dining-cars and new developments in air-conditioning; she has one invention to her credit and has designed bridges and worked out original ideas in railroad construction.

There are some professions in which women are absolutely forbidden by law and one of these is bullfighting. Yet, in spite of the fact that Spanish laws make it illegal for a woman to fight a bull, the Spanish public winks at the law and heartily applauds at the skill and daring of Madrid's premiere matadora, the graceful and plucky Juanita Cruz. Juanita, who is just 20, has fought the bull abroad as well as at home; she has conquered him in Marseilles, in Perpignan, France, and in Lisbon. And so far the Government hasn't bothered her! Juanita knows that girls used to engage in bullfights as far back as 1500 B.C. on the Island of Crete. And she also knows that she is not the only modern female bullfighter.

As for music, last autumn Ethel Leginska made history by being the first woman ever to conduct her own opera in a major American opera house. English-born, this talented woman, who is composer, conductor and pianist, has had the unusual distinction of being guest conductor for some of the greatest orchestras in the world.

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Two scenes at the reception given in the Hong Kong Club last Monday in honour of the birthday of Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands. The picture at the right shows His Excellency, Maj. General A. W. Bartholomew and Mr. G. M. Dyvanck, Acting Consul General for the Netherlands. ("Herald" photo).



A picture taken at last Monday's reception, showing Mr. Stigter, Mr. Stark, Mr. Reck, Mrs. Vander Wal, Mr. and Mrs. Vander Schalk and Mrs. Reck (sitting). ("Herald" photo).



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Dr. Wang Chung-hui, above, the well-known jurist and diplomat and former member of the World Court at The Hague, resigned his post in Europe to attempt to stave off the civil war threat in South China.



The well-known Thirwell sisters, who are always prominently featured at Victoria Recreation Club swimming galas. From left to right are Veronica, Aileen, Ivy and Milly.



Prize-winners at the recent amateur boxing and weight-lifting contests held under the auspices of Lee's Gymnasium. ("Herald" photo).



The Mak Ngah Association swimming team, above, swept the board at the recent quadrangular swimming gala held by the European Y.M.C.A. Kwok Chun-hang, the Colony and Interport breast-stroke champion, is on the extreme left of the back row. ("Herald" photo).



A measure on the Civil Service Cricket Club green last Saturday, when the juniors beat the Football Club "A" team. At the extreme left is A. Bower, while George Rodger, the Club and Interport football goalkeeper, can be seen with his hands on his hips. ("Herald" photo).



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About TOWN



A sight that is all too rare in Hong Kong. The Band and Bugles of the 1st Battalion, Royal Ulster Rifles, on Murray Parade ground last Tuesday evening when they beat the Retreat. ("Herald" photo).

THE happier days to which we are all looking forward, when trade shall boom again, or at any rate get back to a normal exchange of things wanted by buyer and seller, depend more than anything on the arrangements being made for the control of finance in Canton by the Generalissimo and Mr. Soong and their subordinates. History has become too old in this part of the world for any show of even the most drastic paper reforms to cut any ice with the outside world. A Civil Service purge, admission by examination, the promulgation of proclamations enforcing excellent ideals, are all very well in their way, but there will be no effective reform except by dealing with first things first, and big reforms are of necessity simple and easily understood. It has taken a long time for people to realise that illicit profits made by small misfeasances are nothing to what can be done by dishonest management of money itself. The Shanghai dollar is low enough in all conscience, and there is no economic reason why the Canton dollar should be at a discount at all. If the suggested ratio of stabilisation at two Shanghai dollars to three Canton dollars is fair, the difference represents the ill-gotten gains of the last administration and its armies. That money is gone beyond recall, and the only thing to be done is to try to make the same sort of thing impossible for the future. The only way to do that is to have a uniform coinage for the whole of China, under the management of the Central Government, and any "stabilisation" should only be a temporary measure to allow time to get in the old coins and adjust accounts. It is not only that a so-called stabilisation at a fixed rate of two different coinages will leave the way open for a relapse at the convenience of some future administration. The compromise will open up the risk of weakening the management of the existing centralised system, which will be strong in proportion to the volume of transactions done within the one standard, to say nothing of the time and inconvenience saved in not having to seek the aid of money-changers. So far Nanking has been doing well, though hampered by every sort of uncertainty. Any genuine loyalty will place at the disposal of the Government Treasury this very powerful weapon. And if a uniform coinage is backed up by a uniform Government account for the receipt and expenditure of all public moneys, those who are loyal to the Republic will be

surprised at the rapid strides that will be made.

Kwangsi Next

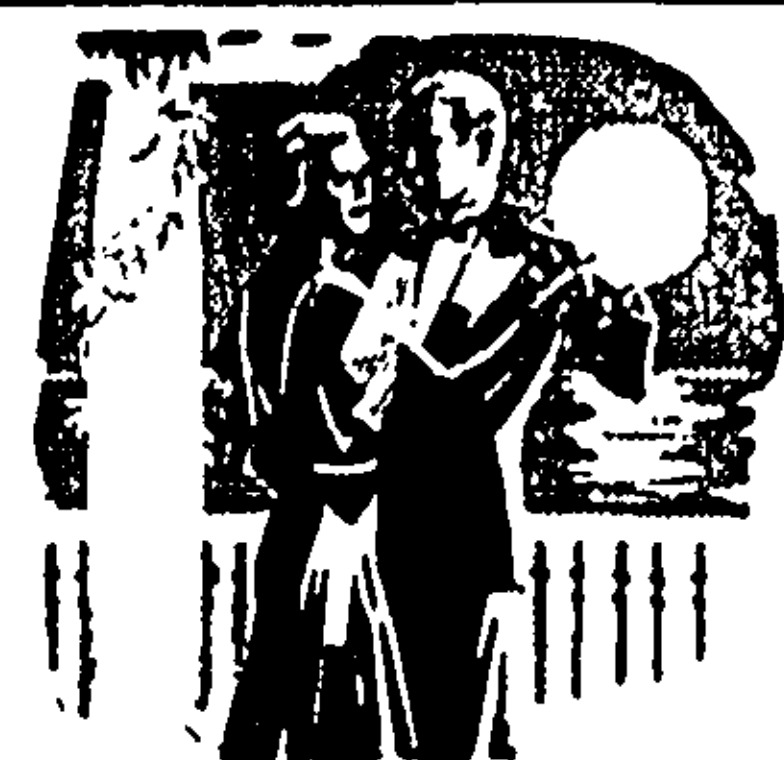
IT is not at all certain that this reform would not be more important even than an early settlement with Kwangsi. Canton is the key to the whole of the south of China, and was the jumping-off place for the founders of the Republic. De-fiance having opened up the whole question of sovereignty (of which the right to coin money is the most essential symbol), there should be no over-anxiety to make peace except on terms that will ensure that the peace shall be lasting. There can be no doubt that the Generalissimo understands this fully himself. He is quite right to negotiate at whatever length may be requisite to show that he is not making war without cause. The danger is that he may have pressure put upon him to agree to terms of compromise that will leave things in a condition that will force him to do the work all over again. With full control of Canton there can be no question where the advantage lies in imposing either economic or military sanctions. Those who wish well to the Chinese Republic are only anxious to see it firmly established with the usual attributes of a unitary Government, and so long as that end is kept in view there need be no hurry. There has been more than enough of civil war and chaos.

His Excellency

HIS Excellency the Governor is naturally missed from the round of local activities, and all have been glad to hear good reports of his progress in getting rid of his troublesome complaint. It is not forgotten that when he came here he had long leave due to him, and his illness is probably due to the postponement that became necessary when he had to tackle the arduous work of picking up the threads of a new task instead of resting in a more bracing climate. His Excellency's benevolent interest in our activities has inevitably led to his being put to a good deal of effort that might perhaps have been spared him, but that is the penalty of being a tower of strength to the active section of a community.

Visiting Athletes

WHAT with the prospect of a display by the Japanese Olympic swimmers, and a visit from Fred Perry and Baron von Cramm, we have something to look forward to in the way of high-class sport if the famous tennis stars can be persuaded to play a set or two. What



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our Hong Kong players need more than anything else is to watch the tactics of first-rate players, and to get out of the habit of trying to tire the opponent out by mechanical returns from the base line.

—COMMENTATOR.

Sports Chatter

Harbour Swim To-morrow
THE Hong Kong Area annual cross-harbour event will take place to-morrow morning from the Police Pier, Kowloon, to the Royal Engineers' Camber, Hong Kong, commencing at 10 a.m.

Average of 50 Years!
IT is interesting to note that the combined ages of B. E. Maughan's Yacht Club which played last Saturday against Recreio was over 200 years, or an average of 50 years!

Lt. Campbell Returning
I understand that Lieut. J. Campbell, who was formerly with the Jat Regiment in Hong Kong, has successfully applied for a transfer to the new Indian (Gurkha) Regiment which will relieve the 1/8 Punjab Regiment in Hong Kong. Lt. Campbell was one of the best hockey players in the Colony during his previous stay here.

Neve To Play Hockey
I understand that A. B. Neve, who played in several cricket matches for the Kowloon Cricket Club first eleven towards the latter stages of last season, will be playing hockey for the European Y.M.C.A. on week days. He has left the K.C.C. and will probably be seen playing for the H.K.C.C. during the coming cricket season.

By the Judge

Gadney May Be Promoted
BOY GADNEY, who led the Rifles' Third Division soccer team again this season in the practice games, and it is more than probable that he will be promoted this season.

Rowlands Again Playing Rugby
ROWLANDS, the Fusilier goalkeeper, contemplates playing Rugby again this season and will be seen for his company in the inter-Company competitions.

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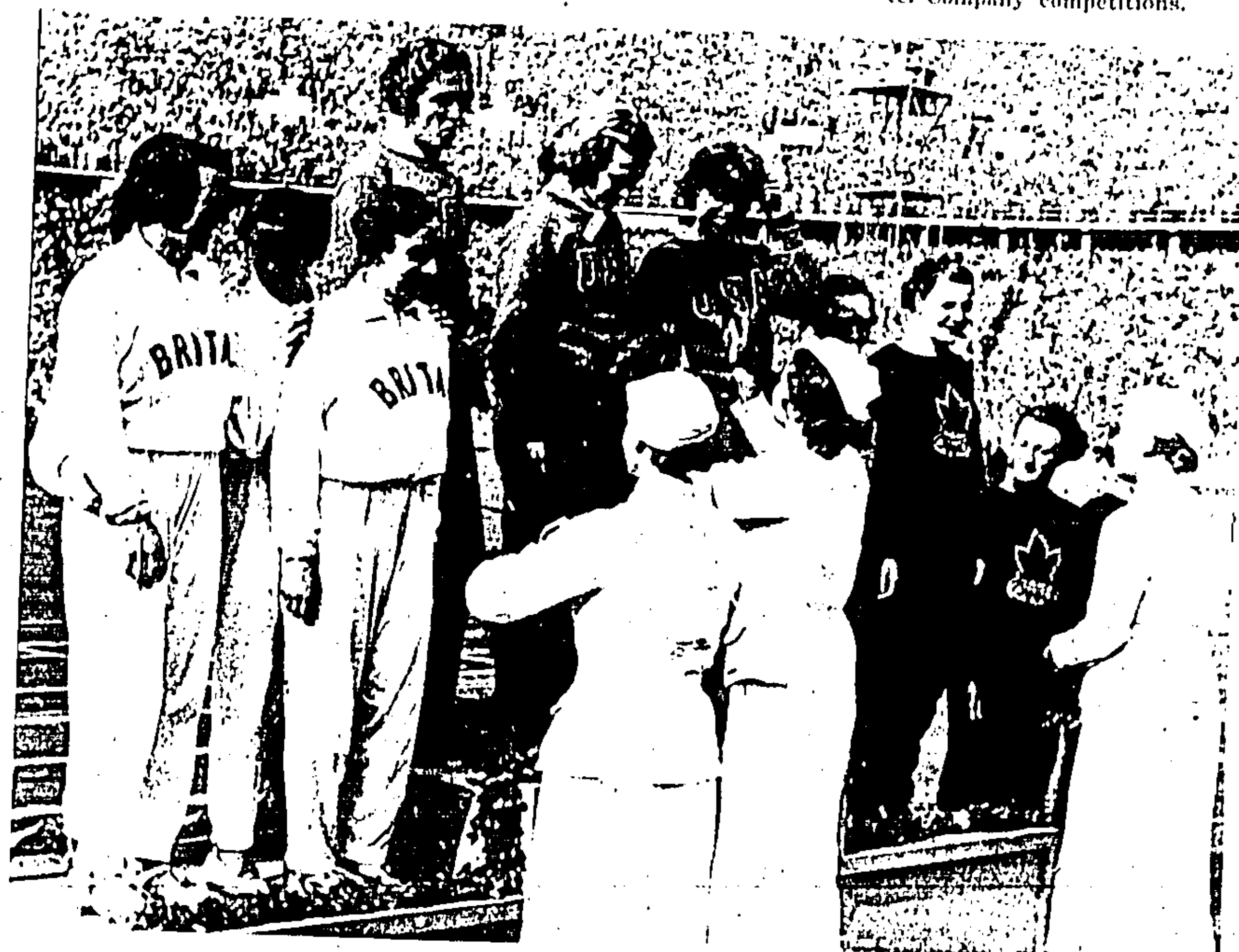
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Jockey Returns From North
LI FOOK-FAI, the popular jockey at the Race Course, recently went for a holiday in Shanghai, Tientsin and Peiping. While "up North," Li took the opportunity of buying some griffins and I am told that he has picked several promising ones!

Rifles' Tennis Champion
L/CPL. FUMOSOLE and Bugler Stevens beat L/Cpl. Radcliffe and Bids, Kaye in the Final of Lawn Tennis Doubles championship of the Royal Ulster Rifles last week, the scores being 6-0, 6-4 and 7-5.

Army Soccer Referees
AMONG those who sat recently for the soccer referees' examination conducted by the Army were Sgt. Hanna, Cpl. Higham, Cpl. Osborne, L/Cpl. Rees and Rifleman Hagen, all of whom are from the Rifles.

Ridings Returning Home
THE football teams of the Royal Welch Fusiliers will suffer a great loss when R. S. M. Ridings, an ex-Army player, leaves for Home soon. He has been in charge of the teams and under his coaching the teams have done well in the local football League.

Police Hold First Practice
THE Police Recreation Club football team started training for the approaching season under the management of Brittain, one of their most enthusiastic players, last Wednesday. While it is not expected that there will be many new players in the side, the guardians of the peace are looking forward to another successful season of soccer.

Hanson's Cricket Comeback
A. B. (Tony) Hanson, who played cricket for the Craigengower Cricket Club first eleven some years ago but who did not turn out last year will, I am told, attempt a comeback this winter. He is already playing a good deal of tennis, by way of getting in trim.

Swimmers Out of Luck
THE East Lancashire Regiment will leave the Colony for India next January and the Colony will be sorry to lose them, particularly their swimmers, who have so far taken a very active part in Area aquatics. I understand from Lieut. Genese, their Swimming Officer, and from Lieut. J. P. Williams, that they will be without a swimming bath at their next Station, which is very hard lines on them.

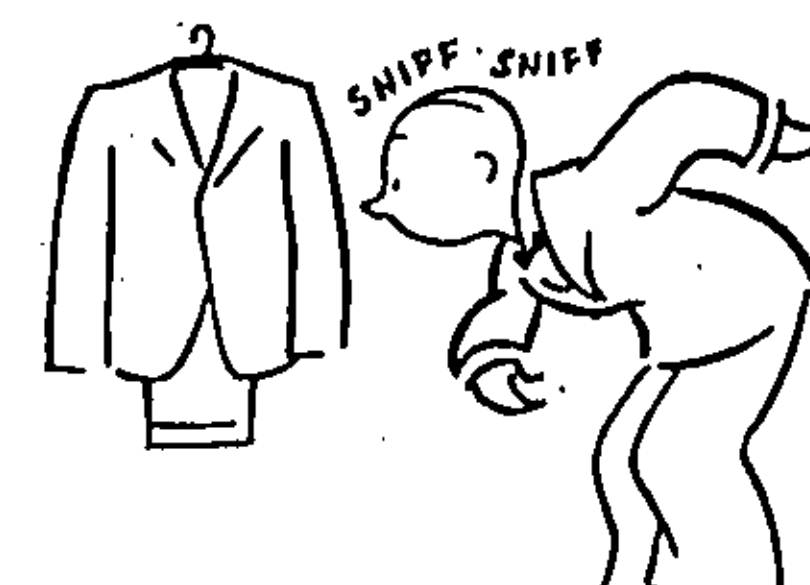
Blake To Play Cricket
BLAKE, the University footballer, intends playing cricket this season and will not be available for all the Varsity football fixtures.

Arculli Turns To Hockey
M. el ARCULLI, who was a member of the I.R.C. first eleven last winter, will be playing hockey all this season. He has not joined any club or team yet, but I understand that he may try to get into the Radio Sports Club side.

Moore's Cricket Promise
THE corporals of the Royal Ulster Rifles have a good cricket side and have in L/Cpl. Moore a good all-rounder. He also plays hockey for the battalion.

Nazarin's Cricket Advance
K. NAZARIN, one of the four Indian Recreation Club nominations for the Interport cricket trials, showed such good form last season that he has given rise to the hope, amongst his clubmates and supporters, that he will "do something" in the trials. He is a very steady batsman and is brilliant in the field, especially in the country.

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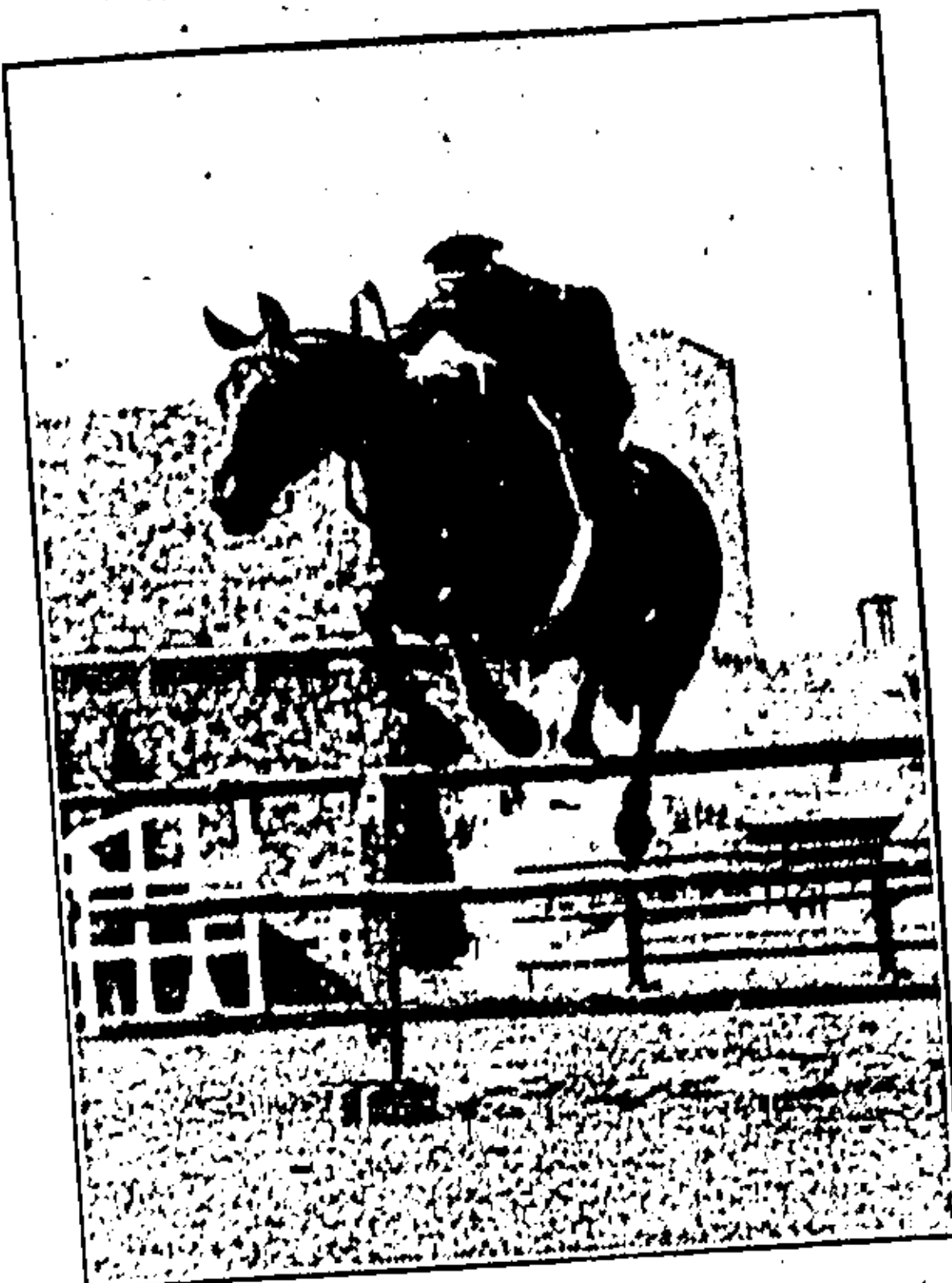
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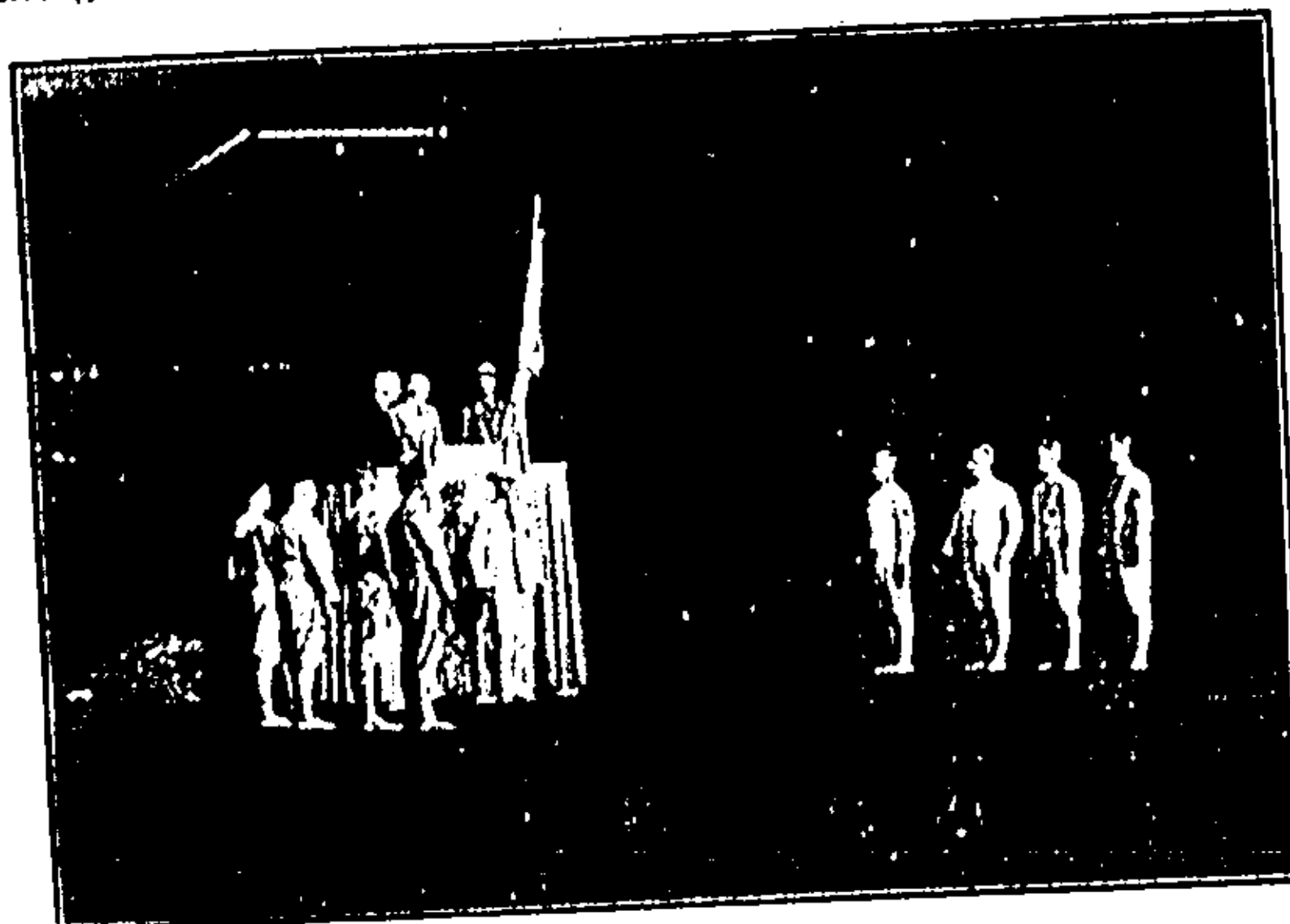
Miss Senff, of Holland, who won the Women's 100 Metres back-stroke swimming event at the Olympic Games last month, beating Miss Mastenbroek (Holland) and Miss Bridges (U.S.).



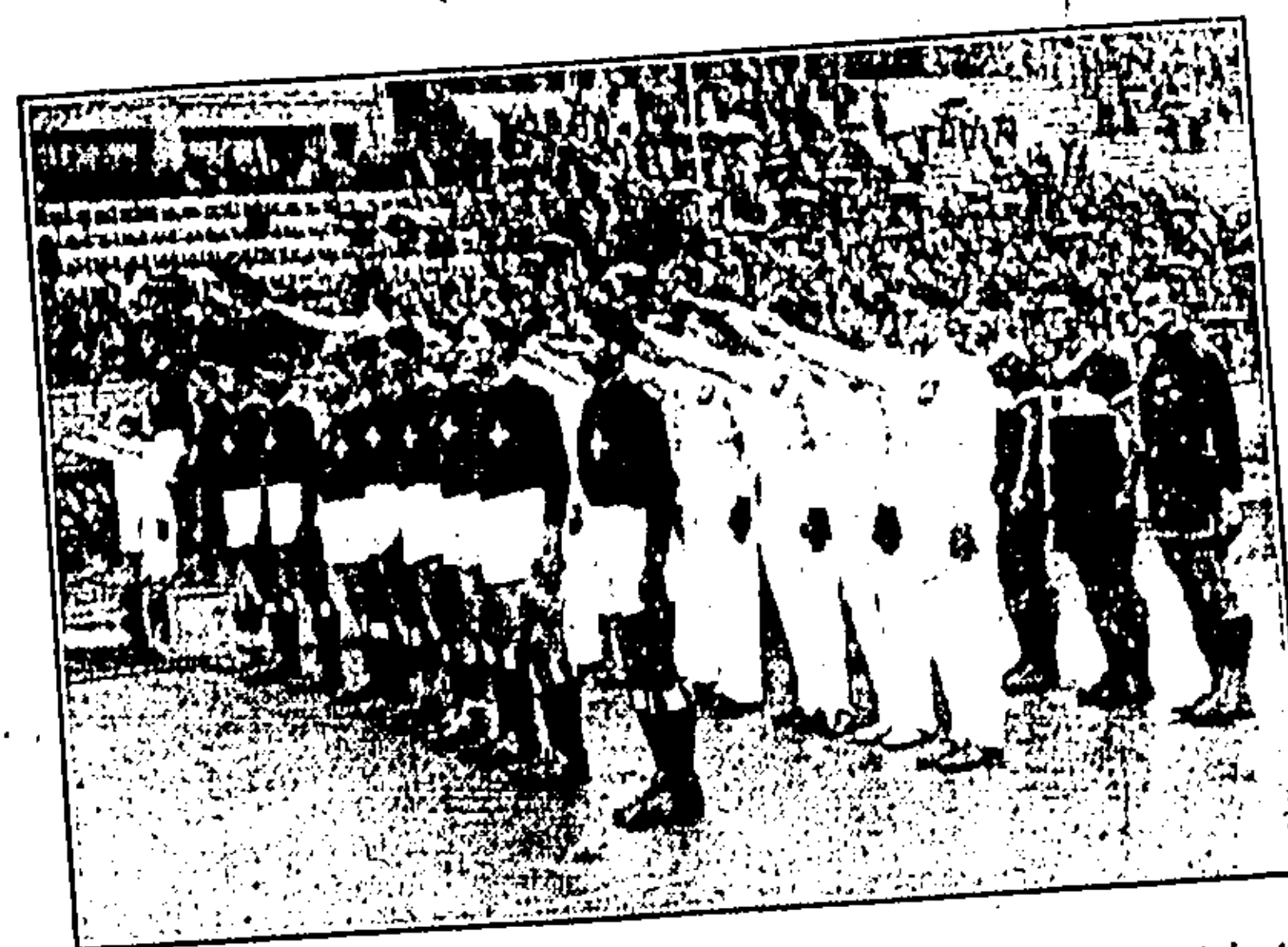
Lt. Polley, on Kronos, won an Olympic Games Gold Medal.



The high diving winners in the women's section at the Berlin Games. Left to right: Fraulein Koehler (Germany), third, Miss Dunn (U.S.), second, and Mrs. Poynton Hill (U.S.), who came first.



The handing over of the Olympic Flag to the Berlin Municipality for preservation until the next Games, to be held in Tokyo in 1940.



The placed handball teams at the Berlin Games. In front is the Swiss team, who came third, in the centre is the German team, Gold Medalists, and in the background are the Austrians, who placed second.

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QUEEN MARY RETURNING TO LONDON

To Stay At Buckingham Palace For Some Weeks

London, Yesterday. H.M. Queen Mary, who for the past week has been staying with the Princess Royal at Harwood House, will, according to present arrangements, return to Buckingham Palace on Monday next. It is expected that Her Majesty will remain at the Palace for some weeks before taking up residence at Marlborough House.—British Wireless Service.

THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Record Of Past Week's Work

ANNUAL REPORT PUBLISHED

London, Yesterday. The Secretariat of the League has just published the first part of the Secretary-General's Annual Report on the League's work, from the ordinary session of the Assembly in September 1935 to the beginning of the meetings of the Council and Assembly summoned at Geneva respectively on June 26 and 30, 1936. The report contains 17 chapters: on political questions, the reduction and limitation of armaments, the protection of minorities, mandates, slavery, economic and financial questions, communications and transit, health, technical co-operation between the League and China, the social question, the traffic in opium and other dangerous drugs, the international assistance for refugees, intellectual co-operation, relations with international bureaux, budgetary administrative questions, legal constitutional questions, and the present situation with regard to international engagements registered with the Secretariat.

The second part, to be published shortly, will relate to the League's work from the last days of June 1936 to the eve of the Assembly's 17th session on September 21.

COVENANT PRINCIPLES
In accordance with the Assembly's recommendation of July 4, 1936, inviting the States-members to make proposals before September 1 as to the application of the principles of the Covenant, the Secretariat has so far received replies from the Governments of Uruguay, the U.S.S.R., Argentina, New Zealand, Latvia, Norway, Lithuania, Sweden, Denmark, Colombia, Finland and Estonia. The replies generally emphasise the importance of ensuring the League's universality.

DANGEROUS DRUGS
The Permanent Central Opium Board passed the report which it will submit to the Council on the work during the past year. The report is largely devoted to statistics of the manufacture during 1935 of dangerous drugs covered by the 1931 Limitation Convention. In conformity with the duties of the supervision of international trade entrusted to it by the Convention, the board examined several cases in which imports exceeded the estimates. It observed with satisfaction that in 1935 the cases of an excess of imports much diminished in number.

IMPRISONMENT FOR SOLDIERS

Plate-Glass Window Broken

WRIST WATCH STOLEN

Fusilier James Benjamin Williams, and Fusilier William Ernest Davies, of the Royal Welch Fusiliers, were yesterday morning charged before Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy, with breaking the shop-window of Messrs. Ullmann and Co. and stealing therefrom a wrist watch, valued at \$70, on Friday night. Both pleaded guilty to the charges.

Detective-Sergeant Mann said that at about 10 p.m. on Friday the defendants were seen standing outside the shop in question by a private watchman. A few minutes later they were both seen to smash the plate-glass window with the sticks they were carrying and to take something from the window.

The watchman raised the alarm and the defendants ran into Pender Street, being arrested by detectives and constables on that beat who were attracted by the police whistles blown by the watchman.

Previous Convictions

Lieut. the Hon. G. R. Clegg-Hill, who was present in Court, said that the character of both defendants was fair.

Detective-Sergeant Mann said that both defendants had previous convictions. The first defendant was sentenced to five months' hard labour and the second to three months.

The plate glass broken measured 10 feet by 6 feet and, according to Mr. J. Dubois, the manager of the shop, would cost about \$200 to replace. It was insured.

The question of compensation for the damage done was deferred.

TWO VOLUNTEER CAMPS

Denial Of Earlier Report Requested

We have been asked by Capt. G. S. Frizelle, Adjutant, Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, to publish a denial of the report that appeared in an evening contemporary yesterday to the effect that there will be no Volunteer Camps this winter.

Capt. Frizelle adds that financial stringency has made it necessary to curtail the camps, but there will be at least two camps when the proper season comes round.

Further particulars regarding these camps will be announced at a later date.

Four cases of enteric fever and one of diphtheria were reported to the local Health Authorities during the 24 hours ended on Friday.

Successful Tenderers

The following names of successful tenderers are published in the Government Gazette:—

Tender for the maintenance, repair, &c. of Roads, &c.: Messrs. Hop Hing & Son, Mr. Tang Shiu Kwong, Messrs. Yeung Fat & Co., and Messrs. Tak Hing & Co.

Tender for maintenance of water works: Messrs. Kin Lee & Co.

Tender for Stanley Supply Pressure Filter House: Messrs. Woo Hing & Co.

Tender for the purchase of unserviceable stores: Messrs. Sal Hing & Co., Ltd.

Tender for repairs to No. 3 Police Launch: Messrs. The Kwong Hip Lung Co. (1932), Ltd.

Tender for maintenance, &c. of nullahs and the construction of additional Sewers, &c.: Messrs. Yeung Fat & Co., Messrs. Ching Leo & Co., and Messrs. Foo Loong & Co.

Tender for making, clearing and repairing forestry paths and Fire Barriers, 1936: Messrs. Shing Loong.

Tender for winter clothing for Prison Staff: Messrs. A. Lee.

Tender for old materials, P.W.D.: Messrs. Sze Wo, Messrs. Wing Tak, Messrs. Wang Hau, Mr. F. L. Lam, Messrs. Hip Yick, Messrs. Fook Lee Cheong, Messrs. Kwong Sun, Messrs. Wing Yee Wo, Messrs. Wan Kee, and Messrs. Yan Yick.

Tender for the purchase of waste paper: Mr. On Cheong.



Norma Taylor, the beautiful actress named in the custody fight between Mary Astor, movie star, and her husband, Dr. Franklyn Thorpe, for the custody of their daughter, Marylin, appears unworried in this picture. She is in the company of Tommy Manville, Jr., asbestos heir, in one of New York's gay spots.

Bus Company To Carry On With Franchise

In an interview with the Sunday Herald yesterday, Mr. Ngan Shing-kwan, managing director of the China Motor Bus Company Ltd., stated that it was the intention of his board of directors to carry on with the franchise for operating the motor-bus service on the island up till the time of expiry. In other words, it is their intention to run the service for another 12 years or so. It will be recalled that they were awarded the franchise to run the service for 15 years, and they have now done so for the past three years.

So far as the question of the reduction of fares is concerned, Mr. Ngan said the matter was now before the Board, who had the matter under consideration, but he could not tell when the reductions would be effected, if at all.

Asked if there was any truth in the rumour that the Company intended to concentrate their attention on a bus service on the upper levels, Mr. Ngan ridiculed the idea, saying that it was unfeasible. In that the roads on the upper levels were so narrow that the larger buses were not allowed on the routes concerned, while, he added, the present service was quite adequate to cope with the demand.

Mr. Ngan said that the Company had a fleet of 73 buses and concluded by saying that if the directors really felt that there was a demand for a skeleton service after 1 a.m. every day, the question would be gone into and arrangements might possibly be made for such a service.

THE WEATHER

Better Conditions Promised

TYPHOON PASSES SOUTH OF ISLAND

Although the usual Saturday half-holiday was spoilt yesterday by the intermittent rain, our readers will be glad to learn that the weather forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory last evening, holds out the promise of better weather to-day, the forecast being: East to south-east winds; fresh; moderating; cloudy; occasional rain; improving later.

The wet weather yesterday was due to the close proximity of the typhoon. It will be remembered that the No. 1 Signal was hoisted at 9 p.m. on Friday and at one time it looked as though we might experience a bit of a blow yesterday. The heavy rains and sharp gusts of winds on Friday night rather confirmed the fears expressed that Hong Kong would "get it again," but fortunately this did not prove to be the case.

Rainfall Figures

Enquiries at the Royal Observatory yesterday elicited the information that the rainfall up till 9 a.m. was 0.835 inches, bringing the

GARDEN PARTY IN KOWLOON

Vicar Of St. Andrew's Entertains

ENJOYABLE FUNCTION DESPITE WET WEATHER

Yesterday's rain might have had the effect of causing a wholesale postponement of all the sporting events, with the exception of the swimming, but it failed to dampen the spirits of the guests invited to the Garden Party given by the Rev. Mr. J. R. and Mrs. Higgs at the Vicarage, St. Andrew's Church, with the result that despite the fact that the party was mostly held indoors, it was an unqualified success.

The party was scheduled to start at 4 p.m. and, despite the intermittent rain during the early afternoon, the guests began to arrive shortly before 4 p.m. and they were shown into the Church Hall, where they were received by their host and hostesses.

The grounds were specially decorated with flags and bunting for the occasion and it was a great disappointment to all concerned that the wet weather enforced their staying indoors. Tea was served in the Hall and the usual indoor games, such as the fishing pond, jig-saw puzzles, skittles, hop-la, jumble words and darts, were played. Later in the afternoon, however, the weather cleared enough for the party to adjourn to the grounds, where clock golf and croquet were played. Prizes were awarded to the lady and gentleman scoring the highest number of points for all the games, the prize-winners being Mrs. Reid and Mr. J. C. L. Wong.

Programme Of Music

In the course of the afternoon an excellent programme of music was rendered by an orchestra comprised of Mrs. L. E. Kirby, Miss Flint, Mr. L. E. Kirby and Mr. G. W. Evans, with Mrs. M. Portallion as the soloist.

Among the many people who attended were Col. E. St. G. Kirke, Lt.-Col. and Mrs. Reid, Major and Mrs. R. Bates, Mr. A. W. Ingram, the Rev. J. D. and Mrs. MacLean, the Rev. H. W. Baines, the Rev. L. Nash, Mrs. J. A. Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Suckling, Mrs. Blanchett, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Jeffreys, Mrs. F. E. E. Booker, Dr. and Mrs. Lancaster, Mrs. Bechtel, Mr. C. Tregillus, Mr. K. Huang, Mr. R. Baldwin, Mr. R. Dormer, Mr. R. H. Wong, Mrs. Frank Short, Mrs. Reid, Mr. J. C. L. Wong, Mr. George She, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Thomas, Mrs. Woolley, Mrs. J. P. Robinson, and many others.

The catering was in the hands of the Peninsula Hotel, while the arrangements were made by Mr. R. Baldwin, the Social Committee and the Rover Scouts.

total since January 1, last, up to 56.215 inches. Since then, however, we have had another 0.66 inches for the 12 hours ended at 9 p.m. yesterday, so that the total for the rainstorms experienced was 1.495 inches.

Despite the cooling influence that is attendant on each rainfall, the temperature yesterday was fairly high and at 1 p.m. an inspection of the thermometer revealed a reading of 83.7 deg. F. The lowest reading for the day, taken at 6 a.m., was 78.8 deg. F.

At 7 p.m. last night, the typhoon was stated to be about 180 miles to the south-west of Hong Kong, which is about 150 miles due east of the Straits of Malacca, and as it was reported to be moving in a westerly direction, it will, if it maintains its present course, enter the coast in the vicinity of Pakhol.

Typhoon Threat Passes

The recent typhoon threat to the Colony has passed, No. 1 Typhoon Signal, hoisted since 9 p.m. on Friday night, being lowered yesterday afternoon at 5.30 p.m.

WEATHER REPORT

A weak anti-cyclone covers Japan, and there are indications of another forming over Mongolia. At 2 p.m. yesterday the typhoon was about 180 miles south-west of Hong Kong, moving west or west by north. The forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory last evening, was: East to south-east winds; fresh, moderating; cloudy, occasional rain, improving later.

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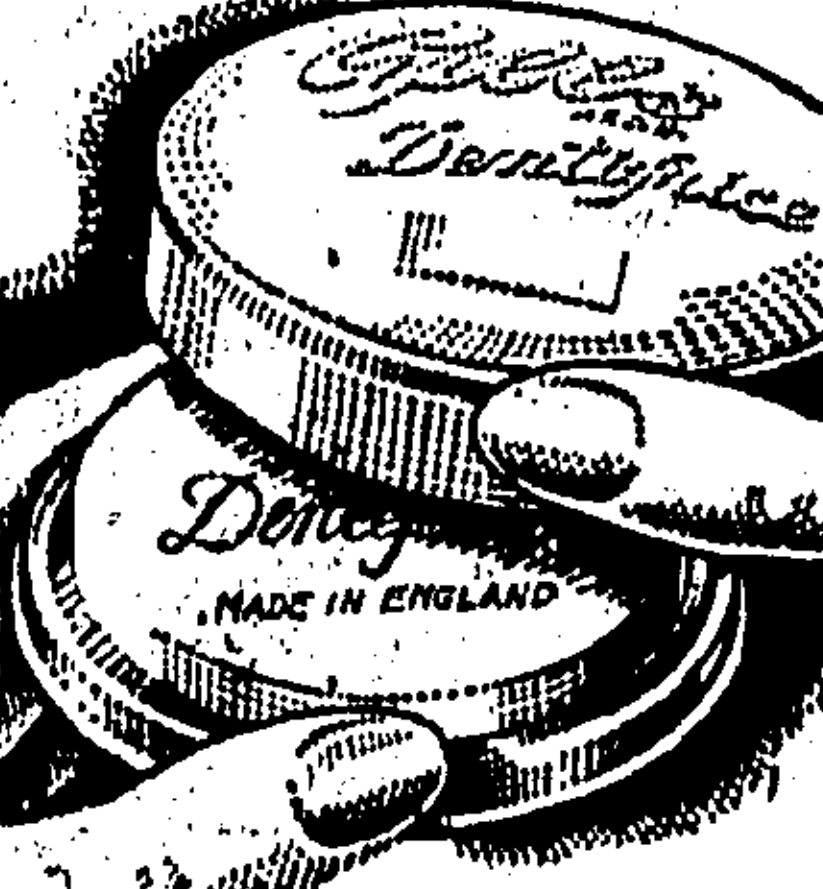


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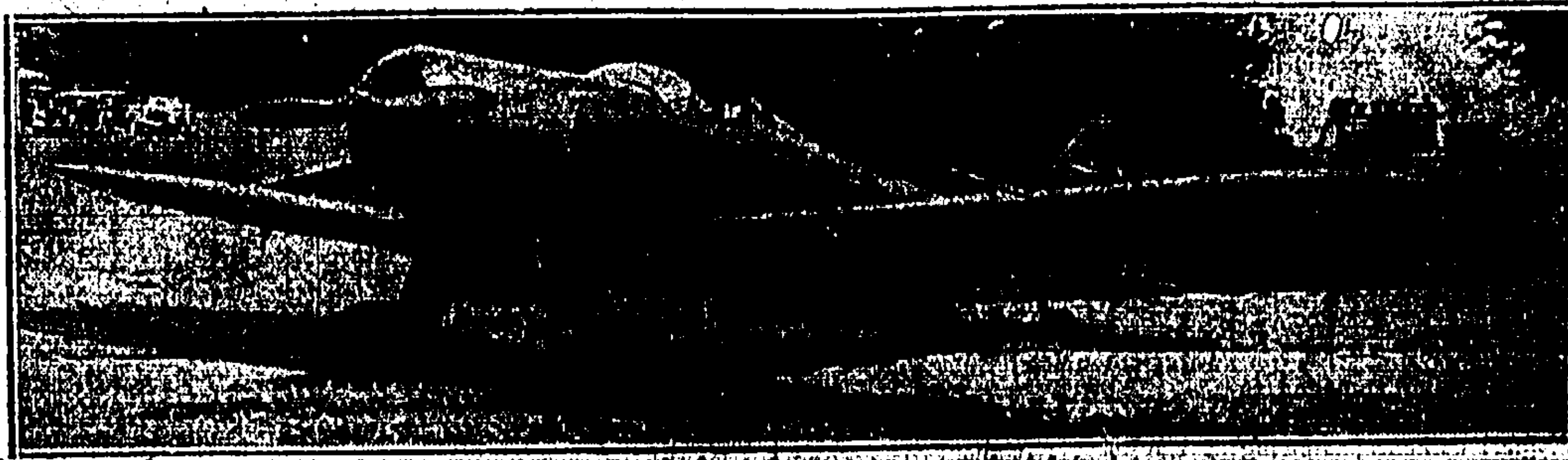
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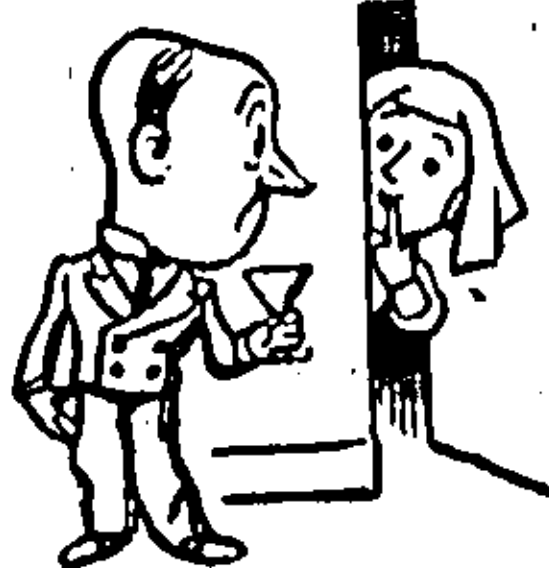
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THE PASSING HOUR

THE letter which we published last week from a correspondent who signed himself "L.K.Y.", severely criticising the selection of pictures at the recent display in the Gloucester Hotel and the amateurishness of some of the exhibits, showed that the writer had failed to grasp the purpose of the show and the extreme interest of the problem that the organisers are trying to tackle. There was no selection, because the object was to give a chance to artists, both of the Chinese and the Western schools, to see what their fellow-artists are doing and to compare methods and results. The pictures included the work of several admitted leaders of the Chinese schools of the day, some showing a greater tenacity of the old traditions than others, and the Western exhibits were naturally so diverse that very few people could be expected to appreciate all the styles equally. The question is, are the ideals and methods so hopelessly opposed as to be unable to teach each other anything? Would it be a mere waste of time for students to get some practice in the other style with a view to improving their facility in their own? The first thing needed must obviously be to understand the ideals, whatever emphasis may be put upon execution.

MR. PAU SIU-YAU

THERE could be no doubt that the exhibits of Mr. Pau Siu-yau were what the critic called "outstanding," and for the present purpose it is specially interesting to note that this artist, starting from a Chinese apprenticeship, completed his training by study in Japan. The Japanese influence was very noticeable in his beautiful landscapes, and yet they were not Japanese. He proved that it was quite possible to get a harmonious effect from the dual tradition, without sacrificing the essential virtues of either. Mr. Pau was accordingly invited to give a lecture on the principles of Chinese painting, and the result was that all who were interested were enabled to pass a most instructive evening at his school at Leighton Hill last Wednesday. Any art being "the best way of doing something," one could learn by watching his marvellous dexterity in the use of the brush with far more vivid appreciation than by reading or looking at the finished product.

A CONTRAST

MR. PAU said that all art had the same origin. In China it arose from writing, and only slowly developed a life of its own, but anywhere if you give a child a piece of paper he will make a mark on it which in some way expresses himself. In the development one must allow for difference of environment and life and appreciation of beauty, which is the beginning of formal art. Both East and west imitate nature, but with different appreciations.

Chinese art is more spiritual, making perspective and accuracy of draughtsmanship secondary. This was expressed in the maxim "The Idea before the Brush." Western painting seemed to him to put too much emphasis on particular objects. The spirit of a scene could only be caught by a drastic elimination of the unessential. Mr. Pau's own sketch books proved that he had not in making his finished pictures ignored any part of the landscape. In his "Castle Peak" for instance, the first sketch was the most elaborate, containing an almost confusing amount of detail. The began the process of elimination, until at the end there was not more than a third of the original details left. Accuracy of detail must not be allowed to interfere with freedom of line, and the colour must reveal the soul of the object, without necessarily any realist imitation. One early school, for example, always painted the pine black and the bamboo red.

ANCIENT HISTORY

THE lecturer then managed to compress a great deal of history into small compass, showing the gradual emancipation of painting from the influence of calligraphy during the six centuries

CONCERT FOR CHARITY

Million-Airs, On Parade

TO-DAY'S FUNCTION

The best of modern popular music performed by the pick of local artistes will be heard at a concert in the Club de Recreio to-day at 9.15 p.m. The occasion is a charity performance in aid of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, when the Hong Kong Portuguese Amateur Artists present "The Million-Airs on Parade." Among the performers will be several who are well known to Hong Kong listeners, and "wireless" fans will now have an opportunity of seeing them in the flesh. There will be also a full jazz orchestra and guitar selections by the Moana Beach Boys.

Ozo and his Boy Friends, Doreen Ma and Horatio Ozorio, Betty Tavares and Frank Gardner, Tony Silva and Miguel Franco, Gus d'Aquino and Chorus, the Tavares Sisters, Fred Abraham and Chappie Lawrence are some of the well-known names that appear on the programme. The items performed will include many popular numbers from recent films.

While many go to a Charity concert to support the worthy object in whose interest it is being held, those who attend the coming performance can depend on getting their full money's worth and a most enjoyable evening's entertainment. A second performance will be given on Saturday, September 9, in the Craigengower Club, also at 9.15. Dancing will follow both performances, and admission on each occasion has been fixed at the popular price of \$10. Tickets may be had from Mr. J. F. Tavares, C/o Messrs. Relas, Bradley and Co. Ltd., and from Moutrie and Co., Ltd. The entire proceeds of the Concert will be devoted to the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

between 206 B.C. and 420 A.D. Practice preceded theory, but at the last-mentioned date Tao Hak propounded the six principles from which Chinese art has never departed. They were: (1) animated rhythm, (2) technique, (3) accuracy of draughtsmanship, (4) accuracy of colour, (5) composition, (6) imitation of past masters—each painter, while recording his own perceptions, should not break away from the best art of the past, but extend its scope. Of these principles the first was the most important, and the modern schools have grown out of different interpretations of it. The Northern school was more rugged and realistic than the Southern. Each of the six principles had had its own famous champions, and the main landmarks were the breakaway from exclusively Court scenes and portraits of Kings to ordinary figures, the introduction of landscape as an independent art, the growth of Buddhist influence and religious subjects, and the union of the art and literature—expressed in the maxim "Every picture contains a poem, and every poem a picture."

CONTEMPORARIES

ONE gets the impression of the enormous force of the old tradition, which makes even Mr. Pau suspicious of the free choice of subject, in the work of Mr. Wong Sui Leung. Of course the Parisian work of Mr. Hong Chen is a defiance of all such restrictions, and reveals such a long leap as to take him out of sympathy with all those who have never studied abroad. Art, like Nature, nihil facit per saltum. But at any rate the Hong Kong public has now, thanks to the Working Artists' Guild, had an opportunity of seeing the work of all these artists, and can judge for itself which line of development has the best promise for the future.

One thing is quite certain. Restriction to a small number of subjects, and constant practice, gives the Chinese artist an almost incredible dexterity in the use of the brush. Even if there should be no attempt to imitate the export's feats of legerdemain, complete control of the brush or such approach, to it as might be gained by a course of lessons, ought to be a great asset, especially to water-colourists.

The combined Band and Drums of the 2nd Battalion, the Lancashire Regiment, will play Retreat on Tuesday next at Shamshui commencing at 6.15 p.m.



RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 365 metres. (845 K.C.A.).

Relay from St. John's Cathedral To-night.

Pianoforte Recital.
10.30-11.30 a.m.—A Relay of the Morning Service from the Union Church.

11.30 a.m.-12.15 p.m.—A Relay of the Morning Service from the Hop Yat Church (Chinese).
12.15-2.00 p.m.—European recorded Programme.

12.15 p.m.—"A Trial by Jury" (Sullivan). Complete Opera sung by the D'Oyly Carte Opera Company.
12.45 p.m.—A Violin Recital by Jascha Heifetz.

(a) Minuetto No. 1 & 2 (Bach) (Couperin).
2. Large on G String (arr. Dandelot).
3. Scherzo Tarantelle, Op. 16 (Wieniawski).

1 p.m.—Local: Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m.—Military Band Music. Marche Heroique de Szabady (Massenet, arr. Dan Godfrey).

The Soloist's Delight (Godfrey). (a) Frenadier du Caucase (Meister); (b) Entry of the Gladiators (Finck); (c) Le Rave Passe (Helmer); Officer of the Day (Hall).

La Tarantelle de Belphegor (Albert) Malaguena (from "Boabdil") (Moskowsky).

1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press, Local: Weather forecast, time and announcements.

1.40 p.m.—A Recital by the B.B.C. Wireless Singers.

O Hush thee, My Babe (Sullivan) O Will will O'er the Downs so Free? (de Pearsall).

Morgenblätter (Morning Papers) (Strauss).

1.55 p.m.—The London Palladium Orchestra.

Through Night to Light (Lauklien) Blue Devil's March (arr. Lotter) Moonlight (Collins).

Patriotic Medley Princess Elizabeth (Créan) Vivienne (Finck).

Longing (Haydn Wood) The Druid's Prayer—Waltz (Davson).

Dreaming—Waltz (Joyce) Amina (Lincke).

Animal Antics—Novelty Intermezzo (Wark).

2.30 p.m.—CLOSE DOWN.

4.7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

7.11 p.m.—European Programme.

7 p.m.—An Hour with Schumann. Orchestral—Overture "Manfred", Op. 115.

Cello Solo—Abendlied (Evensong) W. H. Squire.

Songs—(a) Schon Fremde; (b) In der Fremde; (c) Geisterode.

Melne Rose—Rita Ginster (Soprano) Orchestra—Carnaval Suite, Op. 9.

Song—The Two Grenadiers Theodore Chailpene (Bass).

Song—Widmung—Du Meine seele si mein Herz Maria Olczowska (Contralto).

8 p.m.—Local: Time Signal, Weather Report and announcements.

8.03 p.m.—"Neil Gwynn Dances" (Edward German).

8.13 p.m.—Stuart Robertson (Bass-Baritone).

1. The Saucy Arethusa (Traditional).

2. The Bay of Biscay (Navy).

8.20 p.m.—From the Studio "Sonata, Op. 2" (Beethoven) played by Lynn Gurevitch (Pianoforte).

8.40 p.m.—Marek Weber and his Orchestra.

Japanese Lantern Dance (Yoshitomo) Chinese Street Serenade (Siede) Monuett No. 1 (Paderowski).

Coeur Brise (Gillet) Indian Love Lyrics (Woodford-Flinden).

1. The Temple Bells.

2. Less than the Dust.

3. Kashmiri Song (Pale Hands).

4. Till I Wake.

9 p.m.—Reuter Press.

9.10 p.m.—A Relay from St. John's Cathedral of the Band of the 1st Battalion Royal Ulster Rifles, conducted by H. Alfred Holt, A.R.C.M., with Lindsay A. Latford, F.R.C.O. (CRM), L.R.A.M., A.T.C.L. (Organ), Edgar Warner (Tenor), Garrison Junior Choir and St. John's Cathedral Choir.

Programme.

1. Band—Pilgrim's March from the Italian Symphony—Mendelssohn.

2. Recit: Ye People rend your hearts Arise: If with all your hearts ("Eljah")—Mendelssohn.

Edgar Warner (Tenor).

3. Organ Solo—Intermezzo from 6th Sonata—Rheinberger.

4. Choral—Blessed be the God and Father—Wesley.

5. Band and Organ—Prelude, Choral and Fugue in G Minor—Bach.

6. Then shall the Righteous shine forth ("Eljah")—Mendelssohn.

Edgar Warner (Tenor).

7. Organ Solo—Overture in D Minor (Edgar—Ellingford).

8. Hymn 288: Praise my Soul.

9. Band and Organ—Three Movements from Symphony No. 6 ("Pathetic")—Tchaikovsky.

10.15 p.m.—Concert Waltzes. Child, You can dance like my wife (Fall).

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10.30 p.m.—CLOSE DOWN.



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Law Reorganisation To Be Studied

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL
 Bremen, Yesterday.
 Thirty English jurists arrived here yesterday on the N. D. L. liner Europa, intending to stay in Germany for two weeks. The leader of the party, Mr. Blount-Kidd, said that English jurists had been following the reorganisation of the German law with great interest, and felt sure that the visit would lead to a closer contact between the jurists of both countries.—Trans-Ocean Service.

British Naval Movements

H.M.S. Moth returned to port on Friday from Wuchow, while H.M.S. Adventure is expected to arrive here from Singapore to-day. The submarines Osiris and Pandora will leave for Wei-Hai-Wei to-morrow.

H.M.S. Lowestoft has been labouring for two days in heavy seas on the edge of a typhoon in the North China Sea. She reported that she had had to heave-to during the worst of the storm, but was now making six knots and expected to be in Hong Kong by Wednesday or Thursday.

The ship and personnel are undamaged.

Three Chinese gunboats, the Chu Tung, Chu Chien, and Chu modore. The Yung Chien sailed yesterday for an unknown destination.

FAR EAST HEALTH

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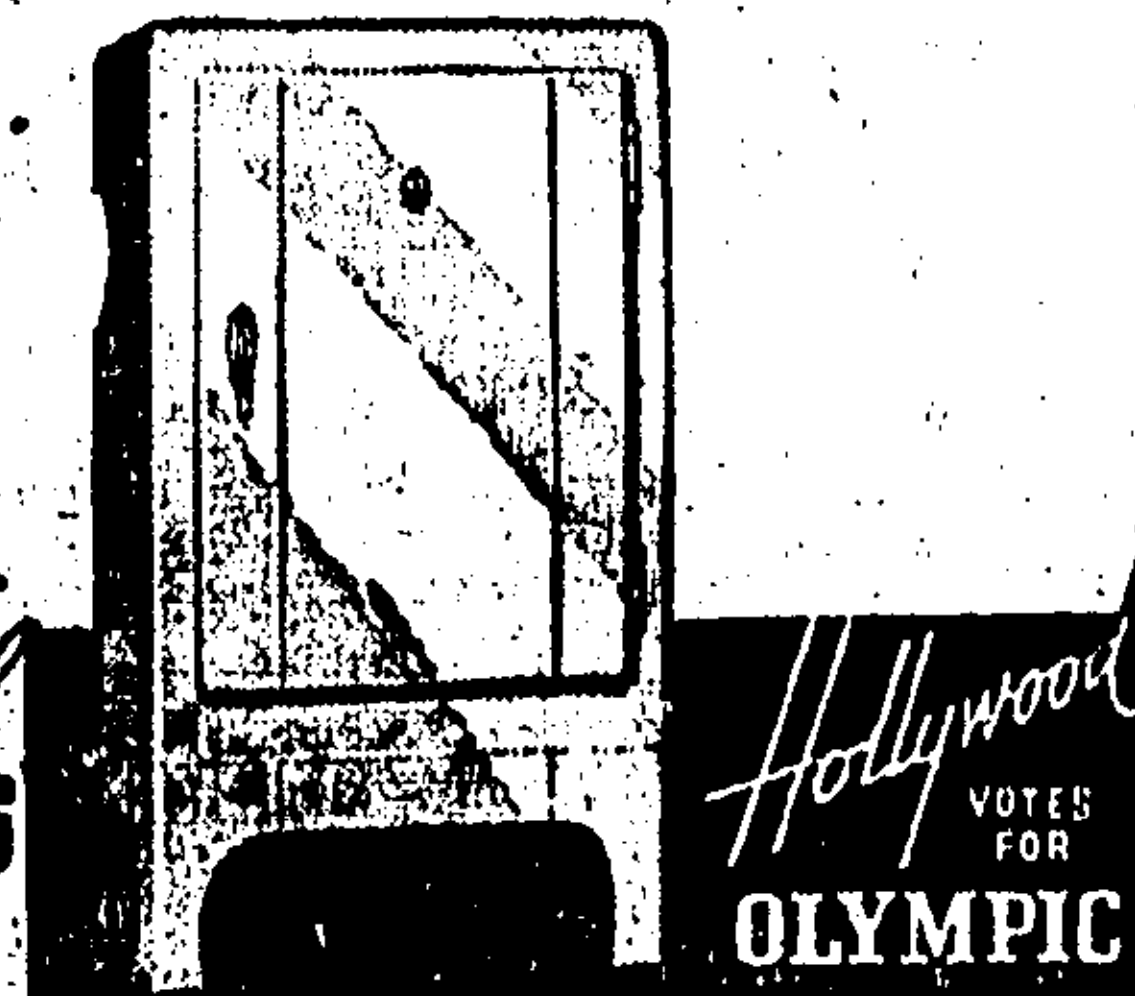
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Awaiting Favourable Weather
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London, Yesterday. Messrs. Richman and Merrill, who made a forced landing in Carmarthenshire after a successful flight across the Atlantic, reached Croydon yesterday and are awaiting favourable winds before returning to America, probably next week.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

London: The American airmen Richman and Merrill, who flew from New York making a forced landing on Thursday afternoon in Wales 18 hours after taking off, continued their journey to Croydon yesterday. They made two landings on the way; first at Bristol and then at Filton, in order to refuel, and reached Croydon just before three o'clock.

Mr. Richman said: "We shall take off on the return journey to America as soon as the winds are favourable."—British Wireless Service.

DANZIG AND THE LEAGUE

Observer At Next
Council Meeting

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL
Danzig, Yesterday.

The Press Office of the Danzig Senate announces that a communication has been received by President Greiser from the Secretary-General of the League, to the effect that in the September session of the League, the Council will hear and consider the report submitted by the Polish Government on the incident in connection with the visit of the German cruiser Leipzig to Danzig. The Secretary-General asks the Danzig Senate President whether Danzig wants to take part in the examination of the question.

Dr. Greiser will not go to Geneva himself, but will send the Chief of the Foreign Affairs Department of the Senate, Dr. Boettcher, as an observer. Trans-Ocean Service.

WOMAN'S FLIGHT ATTEMPT

Atlantic Crossing From
East To West

London, Yesterday. Mrs. Beryl Markham, sister-in-law of Sir Charles Markham, the colliery owner, left Abingdon at 6.50 p.m. yesterday in an attempt to fly the Atlantic solo from east to west. If she succeeds she will be the first woman to accomplish the feat.—Reuter.

THE H.K. WORKING ARTISTS GUILD

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The need is there. There are Chinese artists, some trained in the west, others following the traditional style of their country, who are struggling against adverse conditions up-country. Some of them hold the title of Director of Art for such and such a province, but in the present state of unrest the title is all they have. Several of these men are now in Hong Kong and are members of the Guild; others would come. Just as Hong Kong University draws its student body not only from all over China but from almost every place in which there is a more or less permanent Chinese population, so might the future Hong Kong Art School. It is not hard to envisage a time when the art school might do even more than the new Travel Association or even the beauty of the harbour to draw people to the colony, if it were the recognised centre in which Chinese art could be studied, having a school of traditional Chinese art, a school of modern Chinese art (which is by no means the same thing), and a school in which Chinese and European artists were working in the Western style.

If the vision which has made Mrs. Macfadyen and her chief helper, Mr. Louis Chan, buffet through so much adverse criticism and tepid support becomes a reality, Hong Kong will be able to add to its titles that of The Paris of the Far East.

Visit to Studio. All this is talk. To gauge what has actually been done you must visit the studio on the top floor of No. 51, Gloucester Road, the Atelier Libre of the future art school, where the poor man and the comparatively wealthy, the beginner and the professional artist, are to-day working side by side and learning from each other.

More concrete proof perhaps for those who are not themselves artists, professional or amateur, would be the exhibitions that have been held during the past month in the Gloucester Building. The first of these was that arranged by the Fine Arts Club of Canton, an affiliated association. The work of six artists who are painting in the modern Chinese style, this exhibition was a revelation to anyone who thought that Chinese art per se was stultified by tradition. Here were the traditional subjects, the traditional compositions, but each picture was instinct with life and individuality. Something has been borrowed from Western art, life and freedom, but there is no attempt to paint in the European manner.

The next exhibition might more properly have been called a sample show, arranged simply to demonstrate what type of work was being done by members of the Guild. It included studies done in the studio from the life, sketches and finished work in several media, and was perhaps the very best answer that the Guild could have given to the question "What is the Hong Kong Working Artists Guild accomplishing?"

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BEDWAS MINE DISPUTE

Deadlock Persists In
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London, Yesterday. Captain H. F. C. Crookshank, Secretary for Mines, heard the views of the rival unions in the Bedwas Colliery dispute yesterday, but the deadlock persists. The South Wales Miners' Federation has issued notices instructing all lodges to make arrangements for the cessation of work on Monday.

The Bedwas Co.'s attitude is explained in a statement announcing their intention to stand by the Industrial Union. It says that the company suffered continuous strikes when the colliery was worked by members of the Miners' Federation, but there has not been a single stoppage due to a dispute since 1933, when the company worked in conjunction with the Industrial Union. — Reuter.

MOUNT OLYMPUS TO BE RE-NAMED

Athens, Yesterday.—A gigantic head of Zeus will be modelled into the rock at the highest peak of Mount Olympus, by order of the Minister of Education, and Mount Olympus, which attains heights of some 10,000 feet, will consequently be named the "Throne of Zeus." — Trans-Ocean Service.

traditional style, interesting and instructive, but since all the exhibitors are young men and still, I believe, in the student stage, not as impressive as a loan collection of the work of China's Old masters. But the object of the Guild is to assist the working artists, living artists.

The work shown at these three exhibitions is enough to justify the existence of the Guild and to give good grounds for a vision of the future, with the Hong Kong Art School not only a flourishing institution, but one of the chief prizes of the Colony.

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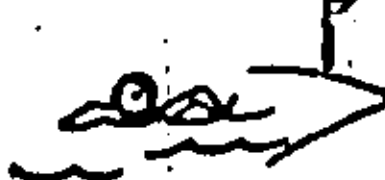
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SUMMER NIGHT DANCES

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(Left) Miss Gladys Allen, who has only just returned to the Colony after 18 months in England and on the Continent. (Right) Miss Sybil Dalziel, the Interport hockey player, who recently became engaged to Mr. "Jack" Gardner of the Asiatic Petroleum Company Limited.

THE many friends of Sir Robert Ho-tung will regret to learn that he is slightly indisposed and has been ordered to take a rest by his physician. Sir Robert has not been receiving any visitors for the past week or ten days.

TWO well-known members of the local business community, Mr. Hubert Over, of Messrs. William Powell and Co., Ltd. and Mr. A. Wheeler, of Messrs. Thomas Cook and Son, Ltd., had their birthday anniversaries last Tuesday.

Although local residents are complaining of the sweltering heat, visitors from all parts of the world are coming into the Colony in a steady stream. Two of the latest arrivals are Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Benson from sunny California. They are staying at the Hong Kong Hotel and will be here for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stewart, who are now on a visit to the Colony, arrived here by the s.s. Tunda from Japan last Tuesday. Accompanied by their daughter Helen, they are staying at the Gloucester Hotel. They are from New Zealand and Miss Stewart is an accomplished artist.



A very pretty wedding was solemnised at St. John's Cathedral last Wednesday when a newcomer to the Colony, Miss Jean Frances Marion Leach, who arrived here a little over a week ago from Vancouver by the R.M.S. Empress of Asia, was married to Mr. Jack Fraser Robinson of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire. The bridal pair are here seen outside the Church after the ceremony. (King's Studio).

THE Rev. H. W. Baines, chaplain-in-charge, St. John's Cathedral, has returned to the Colony from his summer vacation in Korea. He was away for about a month.

Mrs. I. Campbell is another visitor to the Colony who hails from "Down Under." Mrs. Campbell's home is in that delightful place known as Casino, in New South Wales. She arrived here by the s.s. Nankin and is on a three months' tour of the Far East.

Mrs. Rafael Alunan and Mrs. Pedro Hernandez, two well-known members of society in Manila, who were here on a holiday visit earlier in the year, are back in the Colony again. They are staying at the Gloucester Hotel and will, it is understood, be leaving for their home town again in a few days' time.

PERSONALIA.



(Left) Mrs. C. W. E. Bishop, who will be shortly leaving the Colony for a holiday in Australia, where she has a number of relatives and friends. (Top right) Miss Joan Smalley, a popular member of Hong Kong's younger set, intends to play hockey again this season. (King's Studio).



MR. W. J. Ratley, chief clerk at the Hong Kong and Whampoa Docks, who is at present on holiday at home, writes to say that he is having a very enjoyable time. He has been away since the early part of the year and will, we understand, return to the Colony some time in February, 1937.

The anniversary of the birth-day of Mr. M. A. Gomes of Messrs. Shevan Tomes and Company falls to-day.

Mrs. Harvie V. Merrick returned to the Colony from a five months' holiday in Canada by the s.s. President Jefferson about 10 days ago. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Findlay, parents of Mrs. Merrick, who hail from Aurora, Ontario, arrived here together with her and will remain in the Colony for a few months prior to returning home via Europe.

Mrs. H. M. Gregory and her youngest son, Leslie, left the Colony for Shanghai by the s.s. Anama Maru last Tuesday. Her elder son, Mr. C. L. Gregory, of the Dairy Farm Ice and Cold Storage Co., Ltd., and a well-known novice jockey, has now taken up residence at the Peninsula Hotel.

Mr. D. Black, the well-known local jockey, who is with the firm of Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth and Fleming, left the Colony yesterday by the R.M.S. Empress of Asia for a holiday in the North. He will be returning by the R.M.S. Empress of Russia, which will arrive here in good time for the opening of the second half of the racing season on the 28th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. Crisp, together with Mr. McManners, all from Western Australia, arrived in the Colony by the s.s. Haruna Maru last Wednesday after having spent a short holiday in Singapore. They left by the s.s. Anama Maru two days after their arrival here, saying that the motor drives round the Island and the New Territories were the most enjoyable they had had since their departure from home.



This is one of the most recent camera studies of Miss Nina Blinks of Kowloon.

MISS GLADYS ALLEN, formerly of the Clover Flower Shop, returned to the Colony last week after an 18 months' stay in England. During that time she also visited Switzerland and other resorts on the Continent.

The many friends of Mr. T. A. Mitchell, Director of Messrs. Loxley & Co. (China) Ltd., will be sorry to learn that he is confined to bed with a severe attack of flu.

Mrs. J. J. Krypt and her son are two visitors from Holland who are thoroughly enjoying their stay here. With the Hong Kong Hotel as their headquarters, they will be in the Colony for another two weeks or so.

MR. B. I. BICKFORD, the Interport football left-winger, celebrated his coming-of-age at a party at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George Hill last evening, when his many friends gathered to offer their felicitations to "Bicky", as he is popularly known. He is a great all-round sportsman, as, in addition to soccer, he also plays tennis and hockey with success, while he was of late seen playing bowls at the Hong Kong Football Club. When asked why the sudden interest in the game, he remarked that he believed in "providing for his old age!"

Messrs. W. H. Robson and C. Logan, both of the Hong Kong and Whampoa Dock Company, are due to return to the Colony from home leave in the late autumn. They have been away since the beginning of the year.



Mrs. G. S. Hugh-Jones, above, is one of the smartest dressed ladies in the Colony.

MRS. J. R. PATON, wife of the genial manager of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada, is due to return to the Colony some time during the week. She has been away since last May, during which time she has visited all the important cities in North China and Japan.

Mr. Hardit Singh, who is on the teaching staff at the Ellis Kadoorie School for Indians, left the Colony about a month ago for his leave in the Punjab, India. He will be away for about nine months, during which time he hopes to visit a number of old friends who are now living in retirement in India.

Among those people who returned to the Colony recently after a short trip to Shanghai and Japan were Major and Mrs. R. C. S. Bates and the Misses Bates. They travelled by the s.s. Hector, on which were Capt. and Mrs. C. E. Eccles.

Mr. Alan Frank Walkden, younger son of Mrs. G. I. Walkden of The Laurels, Windsor Avenue, Cliftonville, Kent, and Miss Isabel Jean Mason, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mason, were the recipients of the congratulations of their many friends yesterday when their engagement was announced.

Mrs. Cameron, wife of Mr. P. W. Grant Cameron of the Crown Life Insurance Company, left the Colony last Tuesday for a short holiday in Manila. It is stated that she will be away for about three weeks.

Mr. C. H. Olsen, of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Hotels Ltd., has returned to work after his summer holidays. His brother from Shanghai is a visitor to the Colony just now, and it is understood that he may be staying here for some time.

The many friends of Miss Maud White will be interested to learn that she is making slow but satisfactory progress from her illness. Miss White had been in hospital for some time and two weeks ago her condition gave cause for alarm.

Mr. William Kay, Headmaster of King's College, is now in Japan, spending a holiday with Mrs. Kay and their child, after having attended the Educational Conference held recently in Honolulu. Mr. and Mrs. Kay are returning to the Colony about the middle of the month.

Capt. and Mrs. D. W. Perase have just returned to the Colony from a round-trip visit to Shanghai and Japan by the Blue Funnel s.s. Hector. It is understood that Capt. Perase will be going away again, to Shanghai, for a short visit in the very near future.

LITTLE NOTES of Great Importance



We've been looking enraptured at the breath-taking new Autumn hats for a week, and reached a conclusion . . . that no matter where you go, you couldn't find a more complete, thrillingly chic and colourful collection than that which they have at DOLLY VARDEN'S! Every new inspiration, from Napoleonic tricorne, to stunning felt boretts, from high crowns shooting upward (and they certainly are), to the sleek quilled versions . . . lots of brilliant feathers . . . included in DOLLY VARDEN'S complete array.



And their tone? . . . Nothing like it! The fully qualified British mechanic, who does all the servicing, brought to me the whole world like a magician. You can get these jewels for cash or on terms.



I don't think our local Cinderellas are going to leave their slippers all over town this season . . . certainly not if they have bought them at LANE, CRAWFORD'S. No, not even in the hope of catching a Prince Charming! These new Autumn shoes in silver, gold and in various shades combined with gold and silver . . . with their graceful and classic Grecian lines, will be the most cherished possession of the Hong Kong ladies. You need not be afraid of these shoes tarnishing because LANE, CRAWFORD'S have a special cream to preserve them for a long, long time.



A man's comfort in these days—is a thrifty wife . . . And MAIZEE'S customers are all thrifty. Our American Shop sells only quality goods . . . and you will admit, that is the thriftiest thing to buy. And, now Ladies, this Tuesday MAIZEE'S presents you with a Special Day. I should say: A Most Special Day. Because on that day all Summer things will go at unheard of prices. It's making us burst all the buttons off our chest to think that MAIZEE'S, our pet shop, is doing such a thing for us. Well, be early on Tuesday and I know that after—you will all become MAIZEE'S minded.



Maybe there is fun in this business of bearing heirs . . . But keeping your peace of mind is another thing. . . . WATSON'S BABY WATER will lift half the burden off your shoulders . . . It relieves Baby simply and effectively of many of those troubles which often make motherhood a painful pleasure. I suppose you have one of the many books on mothercraft and you can recognise the symptoms of indigestion, griping, flatulence, acidity, wind, vomiting and you know what hiccoughs are. Keep a bottle of WATSON'S BABY WATER at home and have an effective remedy at hand 25 cents . . . that is all it costs.



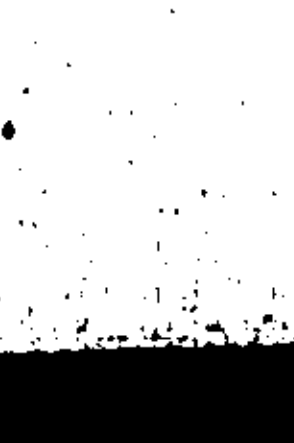
As clever as ever is: PAUL RENNET'S selection of early Autumn ensembles and frocks. They know what the discriminating woman wants and they also know how to help those who are less gifted in the art of selection. You couldn't blame the hesitating ones, for even I, the seasoned shophound, just looked and looked . . . and wasn't able to make up my mind. But no, on second thoughts, I think I know just what I want—I want them all . . . and so will you when you see those frocks. And remember PAUL RENNET'S new economy policy!



Is it true that NOXEMA is made of pure gold? . . . No my dear, that is just the exaggeration of some NOXEMA enthusiasts. But it is worth its weight in pure gold. Try it if you have never used it before and you will soon be one of the chorus . . . singing the praise of NOXEMA. And you don't need to sing in the rain, but in full sunshine—with NOXEMA you have nothing to fear from sunburn. And it has a lot of other uses too. From all the leading Dispensaries: Sole Distributors: United Traders, Pedder Bldg.



There is always good news to bring you from BREWER'S BOOKSHOP. The chief item this week is "News from Tartary" by Peter Fleming; a beautifully illustrated journey from Peking to Kashmir, absorbingly told . . . a journey of seven months, covering over 3,500 miles. And to be had at the lowest cost in town: \$10.50. Other new arrivals are sets of ten beautifully bound volumes of the works of Kipling and the works of Victor Hugo. You will be delighted to possess a set of each of these. I think, it is worth while to repeat: BREWER'S is the cheapest place in town for books.



The change of the season demands changes in your toilet requisites. Discriminating women know all the subtleties of the different seasonal requirements. That is why their favourite shopping place is the GRAND DISPENSARY where they cater for such needs. They have already received an exquisite selection of new perfumes and toilet requisites for use in the late summer and autumn and they cordially invite you to call and inspect that smart and exquisite selection.



The engagement is announced between A. F. Walker, above, newly elected captain of Rugby at the Hong Kong Football Club, Rugby Section, and Miss Isabel Joan Mason.

CLUB BOWLS TOURNAYS

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Charlie Strange has entered the semi-final of the singles championship and is to meet either L. H. Collyer or A. W. Grimmett, the latter being favoured by many for the title. The other semi-final, between M. N. Rakusen and R. R. Davies, promises to be very open. J. F. MacGowan is also in the semi-final of the Singles Handicap and will meet the winner of the A. Steven - J. R. Pengelly tie. He will probably win, in which case he will have as his opponent either M. Cunietti, L. H. Collyer or W. Kerman—the last two will play off in order to decide who will meet Cunietti in the semi-final.

Taikoo Dock

The following are the results of the different competitions played so far at Taikoo:

Pairs Championship

First Round:
R. Keown and W. Brown beat W. Norrie and A. Park.

Second Round:

N. Drummond and C. H. Summers beat R. Keown and W. Brown.

J. C. Chalmers and T. Swan beat T. Grimes and Beattie.

J. J. Whyte and W. Melrose beat J. Wald and Hillon.

J. Polson and S. Pollock beat W. Cunningham and F. Pattinson.

Semi-final Round:

N. Drummond and C. H. Summers v J. J. Whyte and W. Melrose.

J. C. Chalmers and T. Swan v J. Polson and S. Pollock.

RENFREWSHIRE TROPHY

First Round:
C. H. Summers, W. Melrose, D. B. Bone, R. Keown beat G. Smith, P. Smith, S. Pollock and J. Polson.

A. McArthur, T. J. B. McIntyre, W. Cunningham and J. J. Whyte beat A. Park, Wilson, Stalker and N. Drummond.

Semi-final Round:

W. Brown, Hillon, A. Norrie and T. Grimes v C. H. Summers, W. Melrose, Bone and R. Keown.

F. Pattinson, Beattie, J. Wald and J. C. Chalmers v A. McArthur, McIntyre, W. Cunningham and J. J. Whyte.

REID SHIELD

First Round:
A. McArthur, G. Smith, D. B. Bone and J. Polson beat W. Brown, P. Smith, A. Norrie and W. Weir.

C. H. Summers, T. J. B. McIntyre, T. Grimes and R. Keown v F. Pattinson, Beattie, S. Pollock and J. J. Whyte—to be played this week.

Semi-final Round:

A. Park, Wilson, J. Wald and N. Drummond v A. McArthur, G. Smith, Bone and J. Polson.

Stalker, Hillon, W. Cunningham and J. C. Chalmers v C. H. Summers, T. J. B. McIntyre, T. Grimes and R. Keown or F. Pattinson, Beattie, S. Pollock and J. J. Whyte.

Kowloon Dock

The Kowloon Dock Recreation Club lawn bowls tournaments have now reached the Third Round, which must be completed by September 24. The draws are:

Club Championship—21 points—R. Morrison v J. Revie; G. Humble or G. Mitchell v J. V. Ramsay; J. Fraser v T. Coleman and A. Calman v J. McKelvie.

"Biceps" Shield—Handicap—21 points J. N. Sweeney (+2) v A. Calman (-3); J. McKelvie (-6) v T. Coleman (-3); M. Ferguson (+1) or G. Mitchell (-5) v W. Forsyth (+3) or J. Lindsay (-3); A. E. Pearson (-3) v J. Revie (scr.).

Handicap Doubles—21 Heads—J. White and A. M. Calman (+3) v J. N. Sweeney and J. McKelvie (scr.) or G. Henderson and R. Morrison (scr.); C. Stewart and J. Fraser (+1) v W. Hedley and J. V. Ramsay (scr.) or J. Revie and G. Mitchell (scr.).

HOCKEY ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Hong Kong Hockey Association will be held next Thursday evening in St. Andrew's Church Hall, commencing at 5.30 p.m.

H. K. HOCKEY CLUB MEETING

The annual meeting of the Hong Kong Hockey Club will be held next Tuesday evening at 5.30 p.m. at the Hong Kong Cricket Club.

HONG KONG AREA AQUATICS

CHAMPIONSHIPS OPEN NEXT WEDNESDAY

EAST LANCS. OR ENGINEERS FOR THE TITLE

Some very good swimming should be witnessed in the Victoria Recreation Club's swimming pool next Wednesday and Thursday afternoons, when the Hong Kong Area, China Command, annual aquatic championship heats and finals respectively will be held, commencing at 2 p.m. on each day.

This year's programme will probably provide much more open sport than in previous years by reason of the fact that the strength is evenly distributed, and the entry of five fairly useful swimming officers, two from the Royal Engineers, and one each from the Royal Welch Fusiliers, the Royal Artillery and the East Lancashire Regiment, should add a little spice.

The East Lancashire Regiment and the Royal Engineers will battle for the Inter-Unit Trophy and in this connection the Army Cross-Harbour event, which takes place to-morrow afternoon, will materially help.

Up till to-day, the East Lancashire Regiment lead the Royal Engineers by 26 points to 18, while the 8th Heavy Brigade, Royal Artillery, are lying third with 10 points. Other placings are Small Units 4 points and Royal Ulster Rifles and Royal Welch Fusiliers no points.

In the Small Units Relay, the 22nd Company Royal Engineers are hot favourites, while the Sappers and East Lancs. will battle for victory in the Large Units' event.

The High Diving will be a "toss-up" between the Royal Engineers and the East Lancs. and in this connection it will be interesting to see how Stevens and L. Jordan, of the former, fare against Gregson and Gorman, of the latter.

Officer's Chance

The Army 150 Yards Medley Championship has not been won by an Army officer for some years, but a change is expected on Wednesday when Lieut. J. M. Calvert will start a firm favourite.

Cpl. Fildes (East Lancs.) and Gnr. Halliley (8th Heavy Brigade, R.A.) are his two most powerful rivals for the title. Rfm. Hamilton (Royal Ulster Rifles) has not yet been entered, and if he does, he will also be a definite menace.

The 220 Yards should resolve into a duel between Lieut. Calvert, Lieut. Barron, L. Cpl. Pearce (all of the Sappers) and Pte. Taylor (East Lancs.) and Gnr. Halliley (8th H.B., R.A.). Pearce, who holds the Sappers' title, is the favourite, although Calvert will fully extend him.

The Best Event

The 50 Yards free-style will probably produce one of the most thrilling races in the championships as there are several very evenly matched contenders for the title. Among these Cpl. McKelvie (East Lancs.), Lieut. A. J. Lewis (Royal Welch Fusiliers), Spr. Crossan (R.E.) and Gnr. Halliley (R.A.), will probably enter the final, while the two best outsiders will probably be Lieut. R. A. Barron (R.E.) and Rfm. Hamilton (Royal Ulster Rifles).

The rest of the programme is also an interesting one and, on the whole, this year's programme promises to better the previous ones by a large margin.

The following are the entries:—

TEAM EVENTS:

Small Units Relay (8 men at 50 yards free style each):—

22nd Coy. R.E., 7th Anti-Aircraft Battery, R.A., 9th Anti-Aircraft Battery, R.A., "B" Coy. Fusiliers, "C" Coy. East Lancs., "A" Coy. East Lancs., H. Q. Wing East Lancs., 27th Coy. R.A.M.C., 20th Heavy Battery, R.A., 24th Heavy Battery, R.A., Large Units' Relay (6 men at 50 yards each):—

Royal Engineers, 5th Anti-Aircraft Brigade, R.A., Fusiliers, East Lancs., Small Units, 8th Heavy Brigade, R.A.

High Diving:—

Royal Engineers, 5th Anti-Aircraft Brigade, R.A., Fusiliers, East Lancs., 8th Heavy Brigade, R.A.

Indian Relay (6 men at 50 yards each):—

H.K.S.R.A. v. 1/8th Punjab Regiment. (This event will be held next Thursday as it is a final in itself).

INDIVIDUAL EVENTS:

Army 150 Yards Medley Championship:—

Lieut. J. M. Calvert (R.E.), Lieut. R. A. Barron (R.E.), L/Cpl. Dunk (R.E.), L/Bdr. Lucas (5th A.A.), Gnr. Oliver (5th A.A.), Cpl. Fildes (East Lancs.), L/Cpl. Thorpe (East Lancs.), Pte. Little (East Lancs.), Gnr. Roscoe (8th Heavy, R.A.), Gnr. Gardiner (8th Heavy, R.A.), Gnr. Withers (8th Heavy, R.A.), Gnr. Halliley (8th Heavy, R.A.).



Loyal troops are here shown firing on advancing Fascist rebels in a small town near Madrid. They have barricaded the streets with bedding. Recent Government reports claim that the Fascists have been driven back and that the capital city is now safe from invasion, but the rebel advance is continuing.

C.R.C. Well Behind In Tennis Fixtures

The following are the outstanding Lawn Tennis League fixtures:

Mixed Doubles	Recreio	"B" Division
U.S.R.C. v K.C.C. "A"	C.R.C. "B" v C.B.A.	C.R.C. "B" v C.R.C. "B"
K.C.C. "A" v C.R.C.	C.R.C. "A" v C.R.C. "A"	C.R.C. "C" Division
C.R.C. "A" v K.C.C. "A"	C.R.C. "A" v Recreio	C.R.C. v C.S.C.C.
C.R.C. "B" v I.R.C.	K.C.C. v I.R.C.	
S.C.A.A. v C.R.C. "A"		

U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

French Outwits Pirates

New York, Yesterday.

The following were the results of the major League Baseball matches played yesterday:—

National League

Chicago 8 14 2
Pittsburgh 0 7 0

French pitched.
No other games were scheduled.

American League

Philadelphia 3 9 0
Washington 7 14 1

New York 9 8 0
Boston 6 11 8

Jimmie Foxx hit a home run.
No other games were scheduled.

—Reuter.

NEW TENNIS ACE LOOMS

Daughter Of Champion Causes Upset

Forest Hills, Yesterday.

The American Wightman Cup player Mrs. Sarah Palfrey-Fabry, who beat Kay Stammers (Gt. Britain) at Wimbledon this year, was surprisingly defeated yesterday in the First Round of the American National Championship by Dorothy Bundy, 18-year-old daughter of the former May Sutton, who was Wimbledon champion in 1905 and 1907.

The scores were 2-6, 6-3, 6-4. —Reuter.

LAST "C" DIVISION TENNIS THE NEXT THURSDAY

The last lawn tennis League match in the "C" Division, between the Civil Service Cricket Club and the Chinese Recreation Club, last year's winners, will probably be played next Thursday evening on the former's courts at the Valley.

—Reuter.

V.R.C. TRIUMPH OVER CANTON CLUB

CLEAN SWEEP IN THREE EVENT GALA

LAWRENCE WINS IN FAST TIME

An interesting Inter-Club swimming contest took place yesterday evening when the Victoria Recreation Club met the Canton Aquatic Sports Club in a series of three swimming races. An Army-V.R.C. team met the Canton visitors in a fast, but scrappy, water-polo game to bring the programme to a conclusion.

The Canton swimmers, under Mr. T. F. Lo, formerly Hon. Secretary of the Chinese Athletic Swimming Section, gave a fairly good display, but were no match for their speedier hosts, who won all three of the events, although the 100 yards breast-stroke provided a very close struggle which was only decided over the last 20 yards.

Wilfred Lawrence, the Colony's finest all-rounder, despite an injured hand which carried plaster, performed very creditably in the 50 Yards free-style, which he won in the excellent time of 25 4-5 secs. Given perfect conditions—the weather was cold and dismal yesterday—Lawrence would have smashed the Inter-port record of 25 seconds set up by Chan Chan-hing (C.B.C.)

There was much disappointment when it was announced that there would be no race over 440 yards. Both Mak Wai-ming, who won the Chinese Bathing Club cross-harbour race recently, and Lionel Roza-Pereira, whom he beat, were available, and followers of swimming in the Colony have been waiting a long time for an opportunity to see these two performers together over this distance.

Yau Man-han, who used to swim for South China Athletic Association in the old days, made an appearance for the Canton team in the 50 Yards free-style, but finished up several yards in arrears of Lawrence, while Ng Kam-to, another former Chinese Colony star, was third and C. Nolasco (V.R.C.) fourth.

The 100 Yards breast-stroke saw a very even race for the first three lengths, C. Macintosh making his debut in this event in a representative meeting. We learn that Macintosh has abandoned his free-style swimming for the breast-stroke and that he should give E. M. Marques a good race in time.

Marques Wins In Slow Time

Marques, the probable Colony champion, Cheong Ka-do and Ng Kam-to all kept together over the first 50 yards, although Marques was warming himself up for a final spurt, which was correctly timed, to give him victory in 77 seconds, which is the poorest time he has yet returned for the event.

The 200 Yards free-style relay, for teams of four swimmers, resulted in an easy win for the V.R.C., who were strengthened by the inclusion of Lieut. A. J. Lewis, one of the Army's fastest men over 50 yards. L. M. Remedios gave the home club an early lead which A. A. da Roza increased slightly, and Lewis and Lawrence both finished their respective lengths well ahead of their opponents.

In the water-polo game, which brought the meeting to a conclusion, the Army-V.R.C. team beat the Chinese by 3 goals to 2. N. Delgado securing the "hat-trick" for the winners, while Fong Kui-ho and Mak Wai-ming scored for the Canton team. The Chinese, at the interval, but poor marking in the second half resulted in their subsequent defeat.

Results were:—

50 Yards free-style:—

1. W. Lawrence (V.R.C.)
2. Yan Man-hong (C.A.S.C.)
3. Ng Kam-to (C.A.S.C.)
4. C. Nolasco (V.R.C.)

Time: 25 4-5 secs.

100 Yards breast-stroke:—

1. E. M. Marques (V.R.C.)
2. Cheong Ka-do (C.A.S.C.)
3. Ng Kam-to (C.A.S.C.)
4. C. Macintosh (V.R.C.)

Time: 77 secs.

200 Yards free-style relay:—

1. V.R.C. (L. M. Remedios, A. A. da Roza, Lieut. A. J. Lewis and W. Lawrence)
2. Canton Aquatic Sports Club (Yan Man-hong, Lee Kee, Lau Hung-yuk and Mak Wai-ming)

Water Polo:—

Army-V.R.C. 3 Canton A.S.C. 2
Army-V.R.C.:— Pts. Orem (East Lancs.), N. Delgado (V.R.C.) and L/Cpl. Lawton (East Lancs.); Pts. Thavys (East Lancs.); Lieut. J. M. Calvert (R.E.), Cpl. McCarthy (East Lancs.) and L/Cpl. Pearce (R.E.).

Canton A.S.C.:— Lau Hung-yuk; Sung Yin-jak and Wai Kong; Yan Man-hong; Wong Kui-ho, Mak Wai-ming and Lee Kee.

Y.M.C.A. AQUATIC GALA NEXT WEDNESDAY

The European Y.M.C.A. are holding the first of their championship swimming galas next Wednesday night, commencing at 9.15 p.m.

ARMY CROSS HARBOUR RACE TO-MORROW

Five Units To Take Part In Event

EAST LANCASHIRE REGT. FAVOURITES

Five units have entered for the Hong Kong Area (China Command) Cross Harbour swimming event, which will take place at 2.30 p.m. to-morrow afternoon, commencing from a lighter at the Railway-Yard Sea Wall, Kowloon, and finishing at the R.A.S.C. Camber, Hong Kong, a distance of slightly over a mile.

The East Lancashire Regiment, who are holders of the Individual and team titles, are again favourites, although the Royal Engineers will be a serious threat this year.

The five entries are: 8th Heavy Brigade, Royal Artillery, Royal Ulster Rifles, East Lancashire Regiment, Royal Engineers and the Royal Welch Fusiliers.

The Kowloon-Canton Railway have kindly placed at the disposal of the Army Area Sports Board the verandah, sea front and colonnade.

POLICE AQUATIC MEETING

'Ovaltine' Cup For Medley Relay

KEEN COMPETITION PROMISED

The 12th annual Police aquatic sports, to be held at the V.R.C. on Saturday next at 2 p.m., promise to be one of the outstanding sporting events of the swimming season, a record number of entries having been received for all events.

As is usual, considerable local interest has already been extended to this popular service, and it is sure to spur the competitors on to added effort. By kind permission of the Inspector-General of Police, the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Messrs. A. Wander, Ltd. London, the makers of 'Ovaltine', the world's most popular health beverage, have donated a handsome silver cup supplied by Lane, Crawford, Ltd., for annual competition. The Cup is at present on exhibition in Messrs. Lane, Crawford's window.

The event selected for the 'Ovaltine' Cup is a Medley Relay Race for teams of four swimmers, each swimmer to cover 25 yards free-style. The Hong Kong Police Force, the Police Reserve, the Hong Kong Police New Territories, and the Wardens of Victoria Gaol have all entered a team. As the swimmers can use free-style, the winning team in this event will emerge as the unquestioned champions of the Police Sports.

P. W. D. RECREATION CLUB AQUATIC HEATS

The heats for the Public Works Department Recreation Club's swimming gala will be held next Friday evening at the South China Athletic Association's Swimming Pavilion at North Point.

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PEACE PARLEY ENDS IN FAILURE

COMMISSIONERS RETURN TO CANTON

IMPOSSIBLE TERMS DEMANDED BY KWANGSI LEADERS

(From a Special Correspondent)

Canton, Yesterday. It is definitely confirmed that after holding a peace conference for two days in vain, the Nanking delegates came back to Canton by air yesterday afternoon, arriving in the city at 4.15 p.m. They were accompanied by General Chan Wal-cheong, representative of Generals Li Chung-jen and Pei Chung-hsi, to take the latter's reply to the Generalissimo.

It is stated in well-informed circles that the contents of the reply insist on the withdrawal of the Central troops to resist the Japanese in the North; the Peoples' Patriotic Movement being permitted; Generals Li and Pei to remain as Pacification Commissioners for Kwangsi; General Li Chai-sum, former Chairman of the Fukien Revolt Government, to be appointed Chairman of the Kwangsi Provincial Government; and permission for the 19th Route Army to remain in South Kwangtung.

It is learned that these terms can hardly be accepted by the Generalissimo, though both sides are desirous of peace.

As Japan may send strong Commissioner of Civil Affairs for demands to the Nanking Government with regard to the Chengtu incident, and the Generalissimo is willing to meet Mr. S. Kawagoe, the Japanese Ambassador to China, himself at Nanking, he is anxious to have an interview with Generals Li and Pei in the course of the next few days to explain the whole situation to them, or to fix a certain period of time during which Nanking and Kwangsi will not invade each other.

On the other hands, it is definitely learned that both the Nanking and Kwangsi armies are mobilised, and they are now watching each other face to face.

MAJOR MAGISTRATES

In order to supervise the district magistrates strictly, General Huang Mo-chung, Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government, and Mr. Wang Yen-yu,

ST. JOHN'S REVIEW

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MANY SPECIAL ARTICLES

A great deal of most interesting reading matter is contained in the September number of the St. John's Review, the organ of St. John's Cathedral, lately issued from the press.

H. W. B. writes of a trip to Korea; A. St. G. Walton concludes an article entitled "Round Kwangsi by 'Bus and Boat';" the text of the speech made by Mr. Sargent at the annual meeting in London of the Victoria Diocesan Association is printed in full; a thoughtful contribution is afforded by the article entitled "Planning the Winter," which outlines some directions in which one's religious and charitable life may be organised; L. A. L. reviews Miss V. Sackville-West's "Saint Joan of Arc;" and "Musical Notes" outline some forthcoming musical offerings in the Colony.

The Chaplain's letter and the usual notes and features make up the rest of an exceptionally interesting number of the Review.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

A Notice to Mariners published in the Government Gazette states that submarine cables have been laid in the Tathong Channel between Latitude 22.17.0 N., and Latitude 22.15.0 N. Ships should avoid dropping their anchors in this area.

PALESTINE TENSION VIOLENCE & SABOTAGE CONTINUE

Jerusalem, Yesterday.—Two more British casualties, both officers, are reported in Thursday's engagement near Tulkarem, bringing the total to three dead and five wounded, in addition to one British soldier killed and two bluejackets and one soldier injured when a train was derailed near Jerusalem yesterday, due to sabotage.

London: The War Office announces that a number of army reservists are being called up in order to bring to establishment strength certain units which may be required for the reinforcement of the garrison in Palestine. — Reuter's Bulletin Service.

London, Later: The Daily Telegraph understands that the reinforcements for Palestine total about 10,000, and they are leaving Aldershot on Friday next. They comprise 12 infantry battalions, four field companies of Royal Engineers, three companies of the Royal Corps of Signals, and three companies of the Royal Army Service Corps, bringing the total of British troops in Palestine to 17,000, sufficient to allow the imposition of martial law, though it is hoped that this will be unnecessary.

The Daily Telegraph's Jerusalem correspondent reports that troops on Thursday reinforced the street patrols and pickets, and barricades reappeared in the streets. The Arab leaders admitted that the situation had got beyond their control. — Reuter.

British Reservists Called Up

London, Yesterday. In face of the continued disorder in Palestine it is known that the British Government has under consideration the reinforcement of the military garrisons there. It has already been announced that the training of the First Army Division has been cancelled, and the division has returned to Aldershot from the manoeuvre area.

The War Office stated last night that a number of reservists in section A. of the Army Reserve are being called up. This action is being taken solely for the purpose of bringing up to establishment certain units which may be



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London, Yesterday.

A Riga message states that, having completed the examination of aeroplane tenders from a number of countries, the Post and Telegraph Department of the Latvian Government has decided to order two British De Havilland six-eight seater airliners for the newly established Riga-Liopaja airmail route. — British Wireless Service.

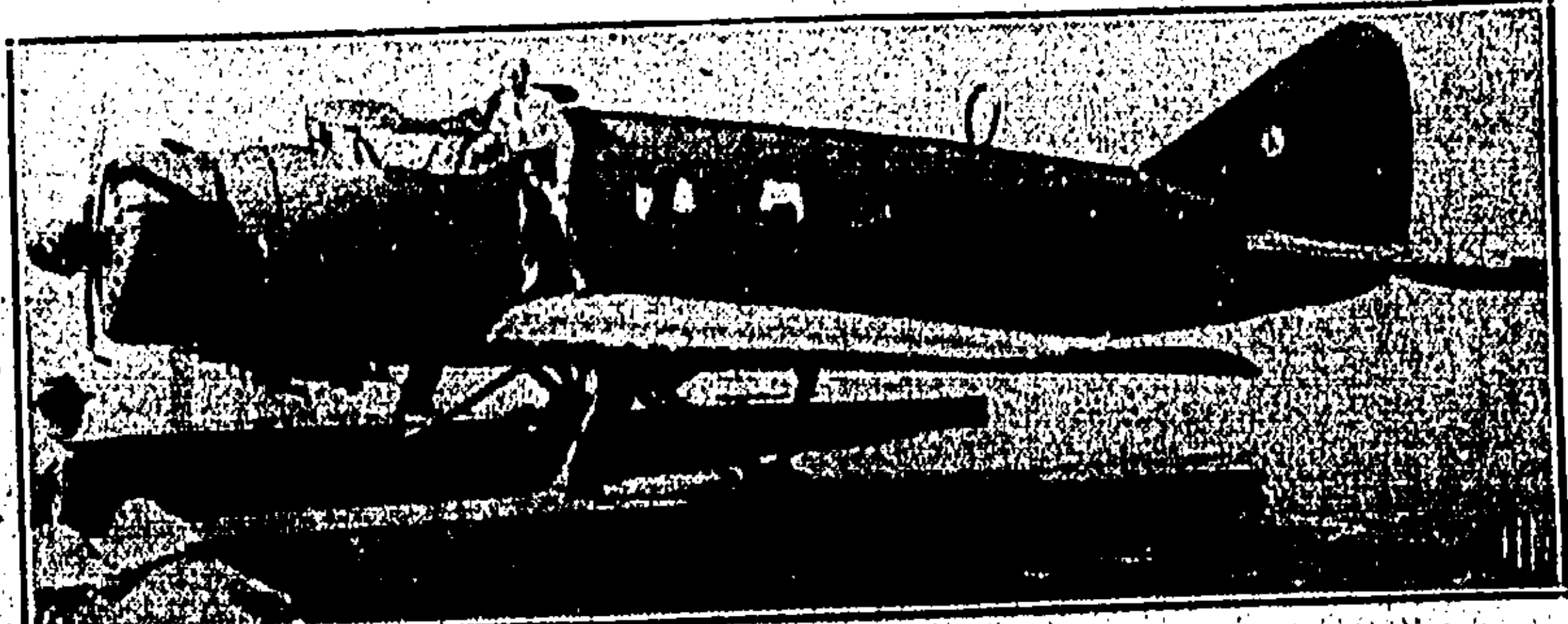
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required for reinforcements of the Palestine garrison if they are sent. The Section of the Army Reserve in question consists of a limited number of men who undertake to come up for service if called upon without the issue of a proclamation. — British Wireless Service.



Sigmund Levenovsky, Soviet ace, and Victor I. Levenchenko, co-pilot, are ready to attempt a non-stop flight from San Pedro, California, to Soviet Russia, in this speedy American monoplane. They will fly a northern route which will take them over the barren wastes of Siberia.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

Dr. H. D. Matthews, foundation member of the Australian and New Zealand Association and President of the Association for the first two years of its existence, left Hong Kong on Friday aboard the E. and A. steamer Tandra for Australia. Dr. Matthews does not intend to return to Hong Kong.

Miss Alda Itzovitch, a journalist who is spending a few weeks in the Orient gathering material for further literary works, arrived in the Colony yesterday morning from the North by the s.s. President Jackson.

Mr. J. B. Ketchum, the newly appointed United States Consul at Swatow, accompanied by Mrs. Ketchum, also arrived in the Colony yesterday morning by the s.s. President Jackson.

Mrs. Alice Joy Campbell, of Detroit, Michigan, was an arrival in the Colony yesterday morning by the s.s. President Jackson. Mrs. Campbell represents the American Board of Christian Colleges in China and will teach at the Lingnan University.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Luke, who were recently married in the Colony and who spent a three weeks' honeymoon in Japan, arrived back yesterday by the s.s. President Jackson. Mr. Luke is on the staff of the South China Morning Post.

It is announced in the Government Gazette that Mr. Thomas Maynard Hazelrigg, M.C., resumed duty as Crown Solicitor on September 4.

Among the passengers who arrived in the Colony yesterday morning by the s.s. President Jackson were Mr. Victor M. Haimovitch, the well-known Shanghai rider, and Mr. S. D. Begg, the former Colony Interport footballer.

Among the passengers arriving on the steamer Scharnhorst on Tuesday next, will be Miss J. Reynolds, who is returning from a six months' holiday spent at Ballymena, County Antrim, Ireland.

Among the passengers booked in Europe to connect with the R.M.S. Empress of Canada, from Vancouver, which is due here on Friday next, were Col. and Mrs. A. A. Sharland, Mr. A. M. Plenderleith, Mrs. J. Bagnall, Miss F. Leamon, Miss B. Beaven, Mrs. C. C. Madocks, Miss B. Madocks and Mr. C. L. Hayles, the last three named breaking the journey at Yokohama.

Hong Kong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. yesterday was 0.85 inch. The total since January 1 has been 56.23 inches, against an average of 69.02 inches.

Lieut. J. D. Patullo, R.E., reports that while driving private car No. 2038 in Queen's Road East on Friday, he knocked down a woman, Kwan Fai, who was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital.

A married woman, Tam Tai-tai, residing in Shaokwan, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital on Friday, suffering from the effects of drinking camphorated oil.

Leo Ting-man, an apprentice at the Bailey Dock yard, was sent to the Kowloon Hospital on Friday suffering from a crushed finger on the left hand, caused when it was caught in a machine belt.

There will be a Tombola at the Royal Signals Sergeants' Mess, Kowloon, at 9 p.m. to-day.

A Tombola will be held at the China Fleet Club Theatre at 7.30 p.m. to-day.

There will be a Whist Drive and Tombola at the R.A. (Sta.) Sergeants' Mess, Gun Club Hill, at 8.30 p.m. to-day.

The Cheero Club is holding a dance at 8 p.m. to-morrow.

A Y.M.C.A. whist drive will take place in the West Lounge at 9 p.m. to-morrow.

St. Stephen's College reopens to-morrow after the holidays.

The Ladies' Branch of the R.A.O.C. Association is holding a social afternoon in Scandal Point Hall at 8 p.m. to-morrow.

LOCAL RESIDENTS HONOURED

In recognition of the services rendered to Indo-China by Mr. Kwok Chan, Comptroller of the Banque de l'Indochine, and Mr. Chan Sul-ky Manager of the firm Kwong Hong Hing, the Emperor of Annam has conferred on them the decoration of a Knight of the Dragon of Annam.

The Council of the Football Association will meet at King's Building at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday.

The annual meeting of the Young People's Society, Kowloon Union Church, will be held at 8.45 p.m. on Tuesday.

The Police Branch of the Ministering League will hold their monthly whist and mah jongg drive at the Police Recreation Club on Tuesday next, commencing at 3 p.m. \$1 being charged for admission.

The next meeting of the Hong Kong Aquarium Society will be held in the Biological Department of Hong Kong University on Wednesday next, at 8.30 p.m. A talk on goldfish, being a continuation of his previous address, will be given by Mr. R. A. Pereira.

A meeting of the Licensing Board is to be held in the Council Chamber on Friday, November 6, at 3.30 p.m., for the purpose of considering applications for publicans' licences, hotel keepers' adjunct licences and restaurant adjunct licences for the year 1936-37.

The m.v. Silverwalnut, from New York, sailed from Los Angeles on August 10 and is expected here on or about next Friday.

The R.M.S. Empress of Canada is due at Hong Kong on Friday next at 7 a.m., and will sail for Manila the same afternoon.

The m.s. Tjibadak is due to sail for Java ports and Bali, via Manila, at 10 a.m. on September 15.

The m.s. Van Heutz will sail for Singapore, Penang and Belawan, Deli at 4 p.m. on September 17.

A Gazette notification states that the name of the Ka Au Knitting Co., Ltd., will be struck off the Register at the expiration of three months unless cause is shown to the contrary.

It is notified in the Government Gazette that unless before the expiration of two months the Orient Photoplay Co., Ltd., obtains a certificate to commence business, the said company will be struck off the Register.

It is notified in the Government Gazette that the figure representing the average opening selling rates for the month of August, 1936, of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation for demand drafts on London is settled at 14.81.

The number of emigrants leaving the Colony for the Straits Settlements during the month of August was 6,717.

The Hong Kong Travel Association acknowledges with thanks the receipt of the following subscriptions to the funds of the Association: Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotwall \$15, South China Morning Post \$100, The Hong Kong Telegraph \$100, Standard Press \$50, The Caravan \$100.

Unclaimed radio telegrams from Punguan from Bangkok; Ryan, Hong Kong Hotel, from Shanghai; 5507 from Foochow; 2346 from Swatow; and Chanshukay, 146 Queen's Road, Central, from Roma, are lying at the Government Radio Office.

The following passengers left by the Tandra yesterday:—Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. M. Robertson, Miss C. Haworth, Master J. G. Robertson, Mr. E. L. Lewis, Mr. E. O. N. Lewis, Mr. Chan Kwok Wan, Mr. Stephen Chin Bing Kuhn, Mr. Jackson Law, Dr. H. D. Matthews, Miss Rita Gatt, Mr. D. Matthews, Mr. A. Woodward, Mr. Geo. McDonald, Mr. E. Carroli, Miss C. McKee, Mr. Fong Gang Ming, Mr. Joe Gum, Mr. Wing Tang, Mr. M. S. H. Man-jing, Mr. Sam Shook Sing, Master Sam Wing Fah, Mr. Lun Hock.

ARMY SNOOKER CHAMPIONSHIP

Hardy And Lewis In Final

BILLIARDS TOURNEY

Rifleman Hardy of the Royal Ulster Rifles and Lance Corporal Lewis of the Royal Welch Fusiliers are now in the final of the Army Amateur Snooker Championship. This game should have been played off a fortnight ago, but had to be postponed owing to the illness of Rifleman Hardy.

The Billiards Championship is now in full swing. There are no less than 42 competitors.

The following are the results of the games played:—

First Round.
C.Q.M.S. Cheetham, R.W.F. beat Fus. '97 Taylor, R.W.F.; S/Sgt. Greenway R.A.O.C. beat Sgt. Malone, E. Lance; Pte. Jackson, E. Lance, beat L/Cpl. Hall, R.W.F.; C. S. M. Elvin, E. Lance, beat Cpl. '103 Williams, R.W.F.; Pte. '19 Smith beat Fus. Thompson, R.W.F.; Fus. Keneghan, R.W.F. beat L/Sgt. Grindley, R.W.F.; Rifleman Hardy, R.U.R. beat Pte. Holden, E. Lance; Cpl. King, Pte. Phillips received walk over from Sub-Cond. Andrews, R.A.O.C.; Cpl. Jones, R.W.F. beat Pte. Almond, E. Lance; Pte. Wilkinson, E. Lance, beat Pte. Chabrun, E. Lance; L/Cpl. '13 Lewis, R.W.F. beat Cpl. Lawrence, E. Lance.

Second Round.
C.Q.M.S. Cheetham, R.W.F. beat S/Sgt. Greenway, R.A.O.C.; C. S. M. Elvin, E. Lance, beat Pte. Jackson, E. Lance; Fus. Keneghan, R.W.F. beat Pte. '19 Smith, E. Lance; Rifleman Hardy, R.U.R. beat Cpl. King, R.W.F.; Cpl. Jones, R.W.F. beat Pte. Phillips, E. Lance; L/Cpl. Lewis, E. Lance, beat Pte. Wilkinson, E. Lance; Pte. Ashley, E. Lance, beat Fus. '17 Jones, R.W.F.; and Cpl. Davies, R.W.F. beat Fus. '97 Price, R.W.F.

Third Round.
C.Q.M.S. Cheetham, R.W.F. beat Cpl. Jackson, E. Lance; Rifleman Hardy, R.U.R. beat Fus. Keneghan, R.W.F.; L/Cpl. '13 Lewis, R.W.F. beat Pte. Wilkinson, E. Lance; Pte. Ashley, E. Lance, beat Cpl. Davies, R.W.F.

Semi-final.
Rifleman Hardy, R.U.R. beat C.Q.M.S. Cheetham, R.W.F. and L/Cpl. '13 Lewis, R.W.F. beat Cpl. '31 Davies, R.W.F.

Army Amateur Billiards Championship.
The following are the results of the first three games played in the First Round of the Competition.
Fus. '94 Evans, R.W.F. beat Sub-Cond. Andrews, R.A.O.C.; Sgt. Freeman, R.W.F. beat Pte. '49 Hutchinson, E. Lance; and Sgt. Hodges, R.E. beat L/Cpl. Hall, R.W.F.

FROM HERE AND THERE

THE many friends in the Colony of Miss Anna May Wong will be interested to hear that she is having a very pleasant time in Paitaho, a Northern holiday resort. She was seen there recently by several local residents who were visiting that place and is reported to be making the beach her favourite haunt.

Mr. Eric Nelson, the popular local aviator, who is attached to the aerodrome at Kai Tak, is holidaying in North China. When seen there recently by local residents on holiday he appeared to be having a grand time.

BOLSHEVISATION OF THE MADRID GOVERNMENT

(Continued from Page 1)

The Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung expresses the opinion that in the event of the position of the Reds becoming more critical Senor Caballero himself will have difficulty in preventing a further handover to the Left, and that the possibility of developments proving too powerful for him must certainly be reckoned with.

The paper adds: "Senor Caballero is not the most advanced of the extremists and it remains to be seen whether his extremism will satisfy the Communists. In any case Madrid and large parts of Spain are facing a terrible future."

COMMENT IN FRANCE

Paris: The Cabinet crisis in Madrid is attracting the greatest attention here and is generally interpreted as the first result of the fall of Iruri. Most of the papers agree in seeing in Senor Caballero's Cabinet a concession to the Left-wing extremists.

According to the Figaro the new Madrid Government is exclusively Marxist; in its composition, and the paper stresses that a further step has been taken in the direction of the "Sovietising" of Spain.

Le Jour writes that Senor Caballero is a "semi-official representative of Moscow in Madrid."



Miss Sybil Glick, above, of Shanghai, is now on a visit to the Colony, having just returned from a visit to her father in India. Miss Glick travelled by plane both ways and said that she found the heat in India, at the time of her visit, particularly intense. (Kine's Studio).

AN ASTROLOGERS' ASSOCIATION

Newly-Formed Society At Dusseldorf

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL Dusseldorf, Yesterday.

The "International Astrologers' of Scientific Astrologers" was founded here yesterday by the delegates of 16 countries which were represented at the third congress of astrologers, which is now meeting here. The seat of the new association will be Dusseldorf, and Dr. Herbert Koch, of this city, was elected the first President of the association.

The congress decided to invite countries which were not represented by delegations to join the new association. — Trans-Ocean Service.

Mr. Peter Todd of Messrs. Jardine Matheson and Company, who is now on holiday at Home, is having a very pleasant time, according to news received in the Colony recently. He will be returning to the Colony early in the new year.

Mr. W. S. Thompson, who is travelling round the world in the interests of the Canadian Silk Hosiery Company, paid a short visit to the Colony during the week. He left again on Friday and while here stayed at the Hong Kong Hotel.

Mrs. D. O. de Silva, who has a summer bungalow at Cheung Chau, is spending a holiday at present at Lantau, that very pleasant resort. She will, however, be returning to the Colony to-morrow, accompanied by her two children.

Miss Rene Rogers, who has been on a holiday to Foochow, is due back in the Colony to-day. Her engagement to Mr. Tom Chubb was announced recently.

Dr. Jean Thomas, a prominent member of the French community in Shanghai, paid a brief visit to the Colony and while here stayed at the Hong Kong Hotel. He has since left the Colony again.

The new Cabinet is in the fullest sense of the word revolutionary."

BOLSHEVISATION
"A Socialist-Communist Government has been formed in Madrid" is the heading prominently given to the despatches on the subject by the Echo de Paris.

Le Journal likewise believes that an important step has been taken in the direction of the Bolshevisation of the Madrid Government.

The Socialist Populaire, on the other hand, describes Senor Caballero's Government as the "Government of a fight to the end" and expresses the hope that it will ensure the final defeat of the insurgents. — Trans-Ocean Service.

OBITUARY

Old Colony Resident Laid To Rest

LARGE GATHERING PAY LAST RESPECTS TO MR. KOTWALL

The funeral took place at Happy Valley yesterday, of a very well-known and deeply respected member of the Parsee community, Mr. Edulji D. Kotwall, who passed away at his residence, No. 9, King's Terrace, last Friday night.

Mr. Kotwall, who was 74 years of age, came to the Colony in 1885 and was for many years in business as a cotton and exchange broker. He had, however, retired from active participation in affairs for some 14 years.

Mr. Kotwall was a past trustee of the Zoroastrian Charity Fund, and though he did not take a prominent part in public affairs he was well known and deeply respected, not only by members of the Parsee community, but also by a host of friends of all nationalities.

Mr. Kotwall, who had been ill for some time, leaves a widow, two sons three daughters and a number of grandchildren. His elder son, Jimmy, is carrying on the business started by Mr. Kotwall, while one of his daughters, Mary, is married to Dr. M. B. Osman, formerly of the University and now in Malaya.

The funeral was held at the Parsee Cemetery, Zoroastrian rites being observed, the service being taken by the Rev. Mr. D. B. Kotwall, priest at the Zoroastrian Building.

The chief mourners were the deceased's sons, Jimmy and George, and his sons-in-law, Messrs. J. C. Laing and T. Hamet.

Others present included The Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotwall, C.M.G., Messrs. Ho Kom Tong, E. Lewis, W. G. Poy, A. T. and H. T. Barma, F. and E. Zimmern, K. Hoesenally, G. Carim, C. Rahim, P. H. Larkien, Ho Wing, Peter Sin, E. S. K. Ho, R. Choa, Tai Ming Tak, Chan Ming, A. H. Hamet, G. She, Wong Tak Kwong, K. M. Laing, Lam Hui Cho, A. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kew, Mr. and Mrs. C. Chan, Mr. and Mrs. R. Young.

Messrs. M. P. Talati, J. H. Ruttor, J. N. B. Shroff, R. E. Desai, R. A. Dastur, D. H. Cooper, F. K. Modi, N. D. Gotia, J. R. Pestonji, Andrew Tze, Simon Tse, M. R. Metha, B. R. Frances, K. H. Shroff, P. B. Dhaner, F. A. Broadbridge, T. E. Yeoh, E. Hoptulna, F. Ghose, Ho Sai Cheong, M. Billimoria, Dr. Douglas Laing, Dr. A. Gourdin and many others.

Floral Tributes
Amongst the many floral tributes sent were those from:—

"Mum," Jimmy, Sherin and John, Mary, Os and Sonny, Ruby, Tuss and Reggie, George, Julia and Junio, Phyllis, Hazel, Kenneth, Ronny, Achio and Bob, Lena and Bill.

Lam Lok Yuk, A. Sue, Tai Ming Tak, E. des Voex, Choa Po Sien, Wong Ching Yau, Au Wai Man, D. V. Lopes, D. P. Lopes, Horace Lo, Richard Lee, S. V. Gittina, S. S. Fong, A. H. Minu, Chung Eng Kim, A. R. H. Esmail, Dr. I. Kew, Salah, Faiz and Toher, W. A. Zimmern and George She, E. Heptulla, H. C. Hunt, D. and W. C. Hung, J. M. Britto, R. D. Yeung, Dr. A. Gourdlin, W. A. Thomson, Kwok Chan, Wong Yee Koo, A. el Arculli, J. Pestonji, Choa Po Min and Choy Wing Chiu, G. Ladd and F. A. Peterson, P. Edwards, Wong Tak Kwong, T. P. Tong, Jia Cheng Tong, T. F. Lo, Cheung Koo, Dr. D. Laing, Ho Sai Cheong, Jia Coppin, Yuen Hing Cheng, Felix H. Kwan, Chan Hing Yung, Felix H. Kwan, F. M. el Arculli.

Mrs. William Hall, Mrs. Gourdin and Miss K. Gourdin, Miss E. Rapp, Mrs. Ho Leung, Miss Peggy Lee, Mrs. Eileen Choa, Mrs. S. Lee.

Mrs. K. L. Leung and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Tregillus, Mr. and Mrs. Leyden, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ka Po and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sik Ling, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Botelho, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lo, Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gittina and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lam, Mr. and Mrs. A. Rahmin, Mr. and Mrs. Luk Wan Yat, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Yeoh and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Barma and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Wong, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hamet and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. Yow, Mr. and Mrs. James Choa, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Chan, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Shea, Mr. and Mrs. Y. Razack, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. G. van Bergen and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Litton, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. J. Lopes and family, Mrs. McKenzie and family, Mr. B. A. Yeung and family, Mr. and Mrs. Peter H. Sin, and Mrs. Sin Cheuk Man, Mr. and Mrs. Sin Wai Man, Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Guxen, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Larkien and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. Kotwall and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Chan, Mr. and Mrs. Chang Hok-ning, R. H. Laing and family, Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Yuen, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Loosby, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. R. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shiu-kai and family, Mr. and Mrs. William G. Poy, Sir Robert and Lady Ho-tung, Harry Gubbay and sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Churn, Mr. and Mrs. A. Butt, Mr. and Mrs. Ho Wing, Mr. and Mrs. K. Fung Ping Fan, Mr. and Mrs. K. K.



Mr. Lam Chi Fung, above, who was recently decorated by the Emperor of Annam, is the Agent of the famous Tonkin Mine—The Charbonnages du Tonkin—famed for its Anthracite. Mr. Lam Chi Fung is also a Director of the National Commercial Bank and often figures in the activities for the welfare of young China.

COLONY AQUATIC CHAMPIONSHIPS

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The Ladies' 100 Yards free-style championship of the Colony should also prove very interesting as Miss Young Sau-chun, sister of the present holder of the title, Miss Young Sau-king, is challenging Miss Veronica Thirlwell for the title which the latter will probably win.

Former Holder's Challenge

The 880 Yards free-style will see a great struggle between Wilfred Lawrence the present holder, whose record stands at 11 mins. 47 4-5 secs., and Lionel Roza-Pereira, the former champion, who has been seriously training for the event throughout the season. In addition L/Cpl. Pearce, the Army half-mile champion, and Lieut. J. M. Calvert, both of the Royal Engineers, will offer a serious challenge. Pte. Taylor and Pte. Hulme have entered for the East Lanes.

The above is the one event in which a new record is expected, and if Lawrence is to capture the same title at the next Interport meeting against Shanghai he will have to lower his present mark by at least 20 seconds to be able to do so!

In For Experience

The 200 Yards free-style Relay has drawn six entries, necessitating two heats, and in this event it is interesting to note that the European Y.M.C.A. have entered two teams, the junior one more for experience than for anything else, while the Army and South China are each making their debut in the event. The University, who are the present holders, will be defending their title against the V.R.C., who are expected to make their strongest challenge in several years.

The 100 Yards breast-stroke championship has again drawn several good men and it is expected that Wong Yu-man, of the Mak Ngha Association, will offer E. M. Marques, at present the V.R.C.'s leading exponent, a strong challenge for the title. Cpl. Filides and Pte. Thorpe, of the East Lanes, are also fairly good, although not good enough to challenge the first two mentioned.

The following is the full entry list, which was closed on Friday at 6 p.m.:

100 YARDS FREE-STYLE:—
Norman Lee (S.C.A.A.)
Wong Chi Hung (S.C.A.A.)
L. Oliveira (University)
H. L. Osorio (University)
Cpl. R. McCarthy (East Lanes)
F. J. Anslow (Y.M.C.A.)
Rfm. Hamilton (Rifles)
W. Lawrence (V.R.C.)

THROWING THE POLO-BALL:—

E. L. Gosano (University)
Cpl. R. McCarthy (East Lanes)
Cpl. A. Filides (East Lanes)
L/Cpl. A. Lawton (East Lanes)
Pte. Hardy (East Lanes)
F. V. Read (Y.M.C.A.)
Chan Luk-kei (C.B.C.)
M. M. de V. Soares (V.R.C.)

Lo, Dr. and Mrs. Coxen To, Mrs. M. Young and family, Mr. and Mrs. Shu Yu Man and family, Dr. and Mrs. Ernest To, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gross, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kow, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Shea, Mr. and Mrs. Ho Kom Tong, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Choa.

Messrs. Sul An, The Exchange Bankers' Association, Exchange Bank, Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company, Messrs. N. Mohamedally, Messrs. Abdoolly and Dawoodi (Bombay), Messrs. Abdoolly Ebrahim and Company, staff of the Assessors' Office, Treasury Dept., Messrs. Kayamally & Co., Hip Wing Bank, Po Kee, The Agents, Manufacturers' Life Ins. Co., Ste. Woo, Leong Koo and Co., and many others.

DANCE AT HOTEL CECIL

Prizes For Holders Of Lucky Numbers

WELL ATTENDED FUNCTION

An innovation was introduced at the weekly dance of the Health and Strength Club held at the Hotel Cecil last night, when prizes were awarded to holders of lucky numbers, those being won by Mrs. Hole, Mrs. Dennis, Miss Haslett, Messrs. Maher, D. A. Oliver and Dingmore.

The dance was well attended and in the absence of Mr. Hewitt, owing to indisposition, the duties of the Master of Ceremonies were efficiently carried out by Mr. McGoffen.

The spot waltz prizes were won by Mrs. Godard and Mr. W. P. Gibson.

Among those present at the dance were Bandmaster and Mrs. Hole, Mrs. Sanderson, Misses K. and D. Sanderson, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Dennis, Miss Mason, Mrs. Miles, Mrs. Cowan, Mrs. and Miss Harris, Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. Hayden, and Mrs. Ferguson and Messrs. Harkley, M. Smith, A. B. McBride, R. Roderique, Hanna R. J. H. Dawson, Mills, W. Wright, J. O'Connor, G. R. Schofield, Dempster, Hartigan, H. Smith, Crothers, Baxter and Grogan.

100 YARDS BACK-STROKE:—

Yip Hon-chun (S.C.A.A.)
Kwok Hon-ming (S.C.A.A.)
Lau Po-hei (University)
Pte. F. Taylor (East Lanes)
Sim Boon-hoon (Mak Ngha)
W. Lawrence (V.R.C.)
LADIES' 100 YARDS FREE-STYLE:—

Miss Veronica Thirlwell (V.R.C.)
Miss Alene Thirlwell (V.R.C.)
Miss Doris Hunt (V.R.C.)
Mrs. J. McMahon (V.R.C.)
Miss Young Sau-chun (S.C.A.A.)
880 YARDS FREE-STYLE:—
Pte. F. Taylor (East Lanes)
Pte. J. Hulme (East Lanes)
W. Lawrence (V.R.C.)
L. Roza-Pereira (V.R.C.)
Lt. J. M. Calvert (Royal Engineers)
L/Cpl. Pearce (Royal Engineers)
TEAM RACE:—

South China Athletic Association.
Hong Kong University
Y.M.C.A. "A"
Y.M.C.A. "B"
Army
Victoria Recreation Club

BOYS' 100 YARDS FREE-STYLE CHAMPIONSHIP (15 YEARS & UNDER):—

John Tai (Wah Yan College)
Chun Kam-cheung (Wah Yan College)
B. Barnes (La Salle College)
Long Plungo:—
Kho Eng Hwee (University)
L/Cpl. G. London (East Lanes)
Sgt. W. Stopford (East Lanes)
De Sousa (Club de Recreio)
220 YARDS FREE-STYLE:—

Pte. F. Taylor (East Lanes)
Boy J. M. Derbyshire (East Lanes)
W. Lawrence (V.R.C.)
60 YARDS FREE-STYLE:—

L. Oliveira (University)
H. L. Osorio (University)
Cheung Wing-nok (University)
Cpl. R. McCarthy (East Lanes)
A. Keown (Y.M.C.A.)
R. Goldman (Y.M.C.A.)
F. J. Anslow (Y.M.C.A.)
Lt. A. J. Lewis (Royal Welch Fusiliers)

Rfm. Hamilton (Royal Ulster Rifles)
100 YARDS BREAST-STROKE:—

Young Yuk-wah (University)
Cpl. A. Filides (East Lanes)
L/Cpl. A. Thorpe (East Lanes)
Wong Yu-man (Mak Ngha)
E. M. Marques (V.R.C.)
K. Naxarin (V.R.C.)
DIVING:—

Cpl. F. Gregson (East Lanes)
L/Cpl. F. Gorman (East Lanes)
Wong Woon-kei (C.B.C.)
Fus. Owens (R.W.F.)
C. A. Figueiredo (V.R.C.)
L. Roza-Pereira (V.R.C.)
Cpl. Stevens (R.E.)
L/Cpl. Dunk (R.E.)
Spr. Jordan (R.E.)
440 YARDS FREE-STYLE:—

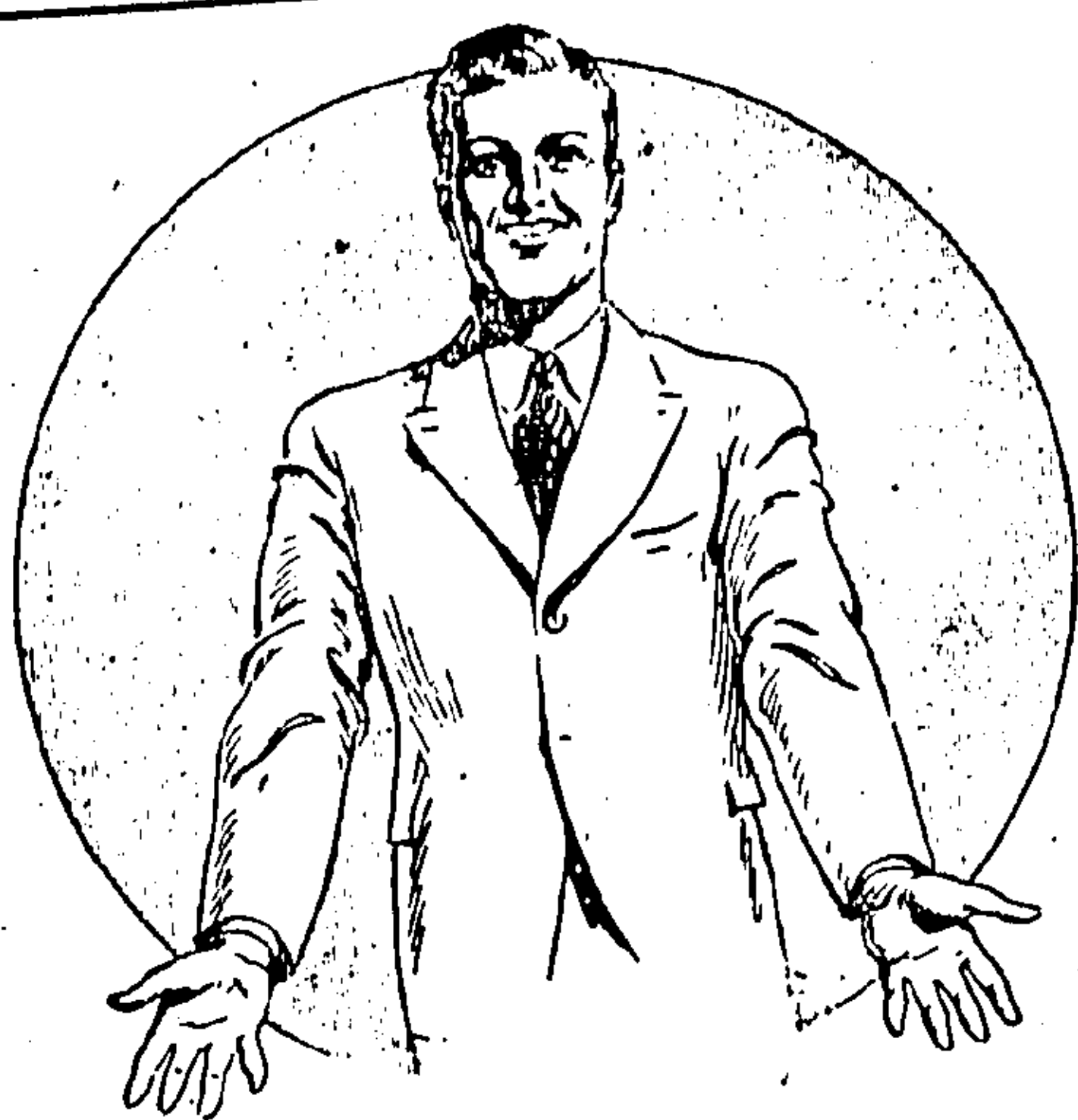
Pte. F. Taylor (East Lanes)
Pte. J. Hulme (East Lanes)
W. Lawrence (V.R.C.)

In connection with the Colony swimming championships, heats for the 100 Yards free-style, the 100 Yards breast-stroke, the 50 Yards free-style and the 100 Yards back-stroke will be held next Friday evening in the V.R.C. pool, commencing at 6 p.m.

There will be heats for V.R.C. members' events in between the Colony events in order to give those swimmers who are taking part in more than one championship race a chance to rest.

Heats for the 200 Yards Open Relay will be held on Monday, September 14, at 6 p.m.

The meeting of the Nursing Detachment of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps arranged for to-morrow has been cancelled. The next meeting will be held to-morrow week.



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What War Was In Ancient China

Fighting Carried Out With Ceremony

Prestige Gained By Generosity

(By Phyllis Juby)

THE census in ancient China was a purely military affair; it bound the fate of the country; it meant war. The Minister of War decided the taxes, counted the armour, shields and arms of all kinds; recorded, too, forests, hills, marshes, lakes, lowlands, pastures and cultivated lands. The survey of lands and the census of men went together. The vassals with an estate were to contribute a number of war chariots, according to their importance and their rank.

The army consists of convicts and vassals who must give "service" to their lord. Arms are distributed; in theory they belong to the Prince who keeps them hidden in a secret place. Hidden because contact with them is formidable; they exhale a malficent odour, they draw to themselves other arms, call for war. When war is actually threatened, the Prince and his lords prepare themselves for this new contact with the arms by a period of abstinence. The fasting takes place in the Ancestral Temple and such an emotion is aroused that each one has the impression of being visited by the gods—who ever feels anxious and weary knows death to be his fate. The chief offers a sacrifice on the altar of the soil and one army goes.

Common Soldiers

The common soldiers have no arms, no protection; they go with "no hope of coming back," camping at night, full of fear, on the edge of a wood. Their time is used in the care of the horses; they halt, and their sorrow is lighter; they are still alive. Under the heavy weight they have to bear, they moan in a soulless voice; and when ranks are formed they are gagged.

When shall we back from this service be led? Our hearts are all sad, our courage unstrung. Yes, and our hearts! In sorrow forth we go, To thirst and hunger and each pinching woe. But here a sight we see, as fair as grand:— Our leader's car, given by his sovereign's hand, imposing in our sight. With steeds all strong, and eager for the fight.

Yes, for the noble war does not mean such toll and discomfort. They drive their chariots, transquill, playing the lute. The horses, with bells tied to the bridle, are protected by a shield on the breast, the skin of a wild animal. Chariots are three men wearing leather coats covered with a bow, bright varnish; one has a bow, two have spears, their shields painted. Banners flap in the

tongue. They are distinguished gentlemen." He stops the fight. Gifts of arms are exchanged on both sides. Prestige is gained more by generosity than by military science or obstinacy. When victory had proved the sanctity of the cause, and men in flight could be slaughtered or taken prisoners, the noble warrior did not allow more than three to be killed. At least some order and control was brought into the fight by these aristocrats who went to war with the lute.

Prudence Gives Way

Even prudence in war was to give way to courtesy. Should two chariots come to meet, one turned away. The enemy cried the name of the chief who wished to escape the fight; challenged, he came back and tried to shoot the first arrow. But his adversary was quicker than he; all he could do was invoke his ancestors, pleading that he should not be about to shoot a second time, he cried: "It would be most improper of you not to let me have my turn!" And so, reminded of the laws of honour, the adversary, motionless, awaits the fatal blow.

It is a great thing to spare the enemy, and a fine thing to expose oneself foolhardily. The supreme action is to devote oneself to death for the sake of the chief. If the latter's chariot is stuck in the mire, or closely pressed, the faithful vassal will attempt at once to take his master's place and keep his flag flying. The supreme disgrace is to flee with the standard unfurled, for if one goes to battle it is to do honour to one's flag.

In a battle between Chin and Ch'u (596 B.C.) one of the Chin chariots is stuck in the mire and cannot go forward. The enemy amuses himself by giving advice. "A Ch'u warrior told the driver to raise the transverse bar (upon which the weapons were hung). (When the bar was removed) but the chariot could move forward, but only a little. One of the Ch'u warriors (then) told the driver to remove the standard and lower it over the yoke. (When the standard was removed) the chariot would be able (at last) to get out of the hole. The driver, turning his head aside, said (in return for the insulting advice he had just received, and the clemency which it was dishonour for him to accept) 'We are not practised in (the art of) running away, like the inhabitants of your great country!'

The chief leads the battle; the vassals feel his force. But in the first place his qualities inspire his drum and his standard. "Whoever wears a cuirass knows how to die," and he is worthy of the name of chief if after the fight he cries: "I was knocked down in my chariot, I bled, but the sound of the drum never ceased." However, the circumstances must be exceptional for the prince to expose his person.

Tortoise Consulted After consultation with the tortoise a general is chosen. He goes through a period of severe abstinence and is handed over the drum and the banner. He puts

GRAVEYARD LOVE

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He turned angrily to Carol. "When you mentioned my dumb football head. Why, that's what you said about him last week." He pointed to Ted. "And when it comes to that," he continued, "What are you doing here with him, anyway? Yeah, just a home girl. Any home, I guess. Look at my black eye. Feel that bump on my head. No, don't—" as Carol approached. "You needn't bother. I'm through with you. Go on back to him. You spell trouble. You're too much grief."

"Cad," said Carol, and her voice had a catch in it. "Well, when it comes to that, I'll not have you back, either." Ted moved a step nearer Barker. "See all the promising football material you almost ruined. I'm through."

"You're a cad, too," said Carol, fumbling for a handkerchief. Charles produced one from his pyjama coat pocket. "And I," remarked Charles, "intend to make it my duty, yes, and pleasure, that you do not either one of you, annoy her for the rest of the summer."

"Oh, thank you, Professor Carter!"

"Please call me Charles," said young Mr. Carter, firmly. "And may I see you home now—or—Carol?"

And with a flippancy remarkable for him, he added, moving away, "We leave you to your graveyard love."

"And pick yourselves a nice epitaph," added Carol, as they moved away. "Gosh!" murmured Arch, with awe. "You're right," agreed Marley. Moved by a common impulse, they shook hands relievedly. In the distance, the clock on Conant Hall tower struck 12.

(THE END)

on a funeral garment and goes through a breach made in the northern gate; just as, at the time of burial, the dead go out by a breach from the Ancestral Temple. He cuts himself off from the world of the living, devoting himself entirely to his sacred power.

The nobles, ordinarily, are not such heroes; they prefer half victories or tempered defeats. In this case they may expect terrible threats from the ambitious Prince. These faithful vassals know too well the adage: "Conqueror: minister of war; Vanquished: boiled in a cauldron!" The good warrior knows how to lighten himself of buff belts and straps and flee. At worst his misadventure is surer to him when, once again, he enters the city: "Bulge your eyes!—Blow out your belly!—Throw off your breastplate and come home!"—O beautiful beard!—Here you are O beautiful beard!—Here you are back again with your breastplate! "The bullocks have still got their skin!—and there are many rhinoceros!—I have thrown off my breastplate: and what next?" "It is true the skin is still there; but where shall we find the red varnish?"

On the other hand, after a great victory, the chief re-entered the town amid boastful songs of triumphal pomp: "We are climbing their hills (they are ours!)—they cannot make a stand upon their hills (they are ours!)—Ours are the hills! Ours are the mountains!—They shall never again drink from their springs! (they are ours!) Ours are the springs, ours the lakes!"

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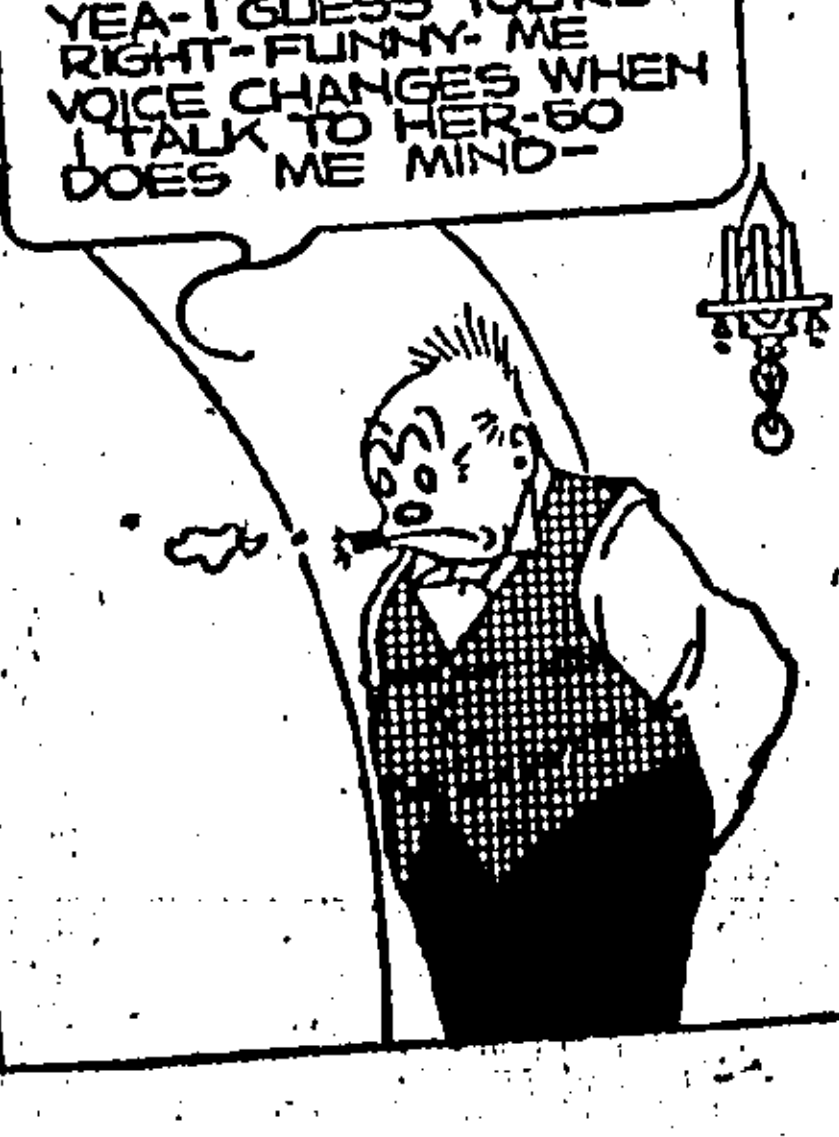
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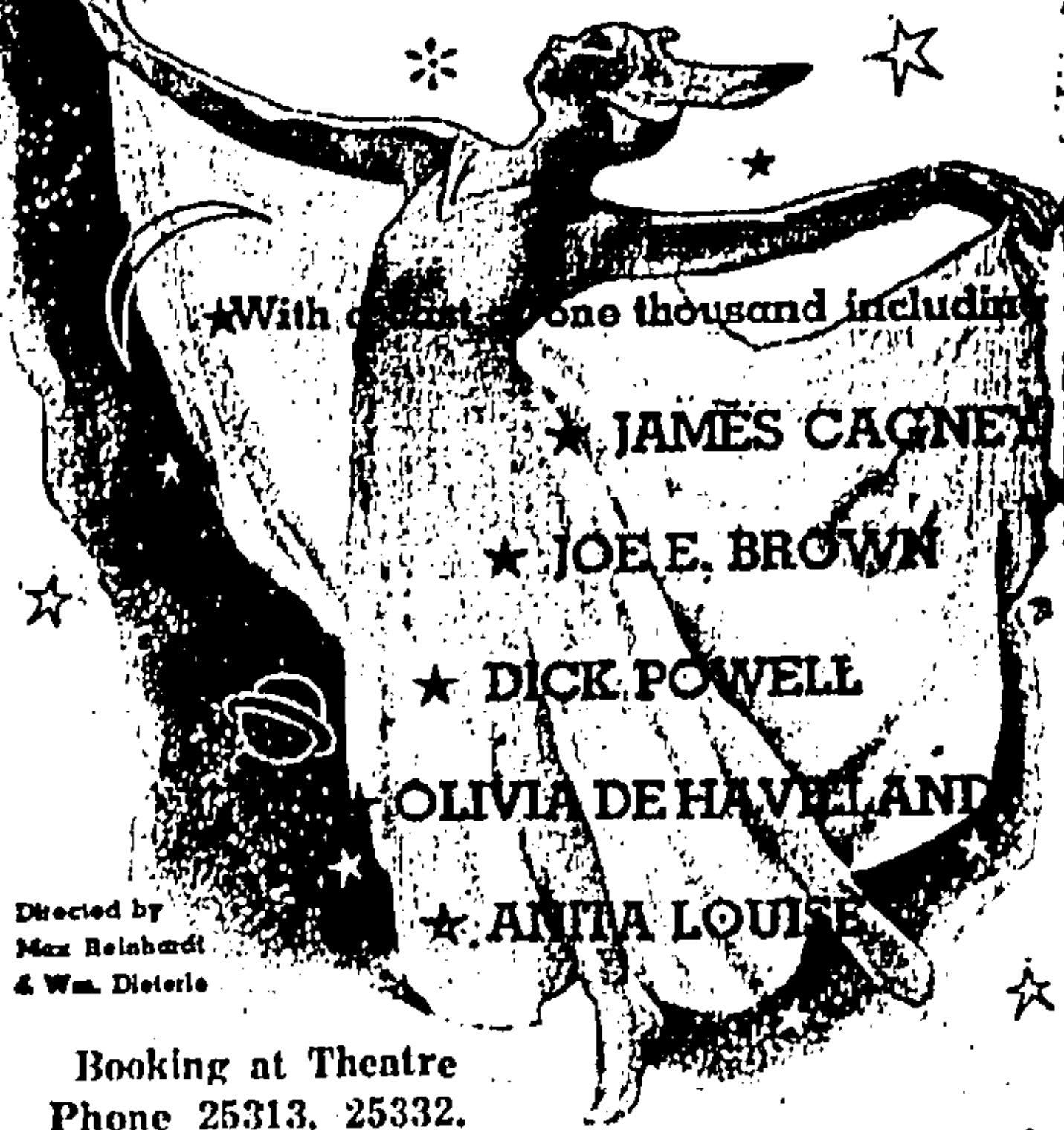
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BRIDGE NOTES

By ELY CULBERTSON

The Opening Lead

THE choice of an opening lead when the side which has won the contract has done all the bidding, is frequently difficult, particularly when the leader has a trickless hand and his partner has doubled the adverse game contract. One general principle, however, can be laid down—that it is extremely unwise to lead from length in a hand which is void of entries, as partner with a strong hand may futilely waste time in establishing tricks that can never be cashed. Had West in the hand below applied this principle, the hand would have been defeated. But West was a wooden follower of theory and believed that the only proper lead, lacking an honour sequence, was fourth best from his longest suit.

North, dealer.

East-West vulnerable.

S-A Q 10 9 4
H-J 9
D-J 5 4
C-A 10 5
N-S-K 2
H-8 5 3 2 W-E-H-A-K 4
D-8 7 S-D-K-Q 10 3
C-3 2 C-Q-J 6 4

The bidding: (Figures after bids refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs.)

North East South West
1S Pass (1) INT Pass
2S (2) Pass 2NT (3) Pass
3NT (4) Dbl. (5) Pass Pass

1—East hopes that his opponents may reach a game contract, which he might double—hence the pass.

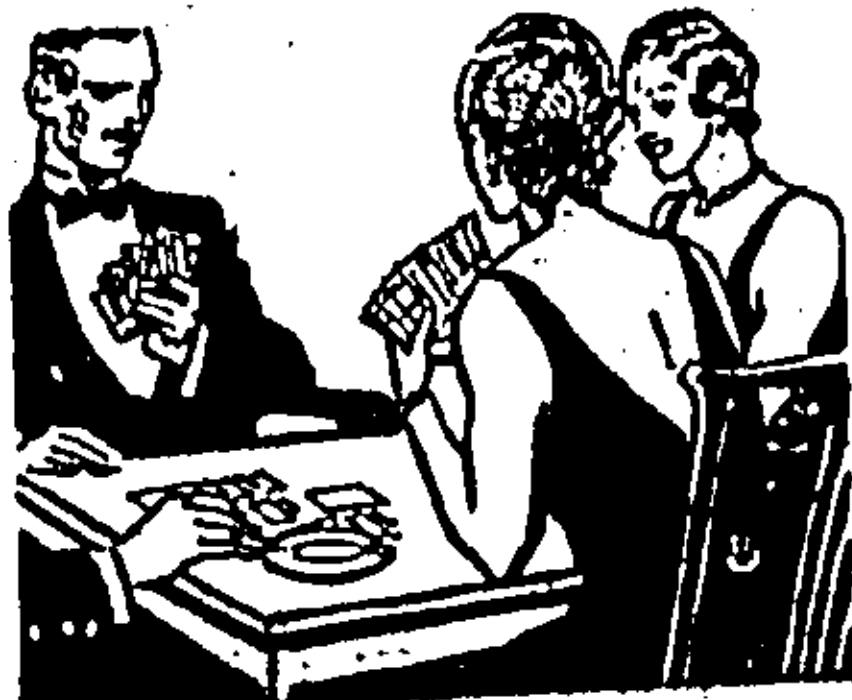
2—North decides to rebid his minimum.

3—South feels that he could have responded to his partner's opening bid with at least a King less than he holds; hence in view of his partner's rebid he shows his additional strength.

4—Decidedly an overbid.

5—The hour has come which East had sought.

West's opening lead was the heart three. I have already stated my opinion of this choice of a lead. The correct opening of the diamond eight would have worked out much more advantageously. East won with the King, returned the Ace and cleared the suit, South winning the third round with the Queen. The spade seven was then led and the double finesse taken, East winning the trick with the King. At this point East made the very clever defensive return of the diamond three and South knowing that West had two established hearts, felt compelled to go up with the Ace. Another spade was led, the finesse against the Jack taken, and four spade tricks cashed. East was forced to find three discards. He felt compelled to retain three clubs, so parted with the Queen and Ten of diamonds and the club Four, South, who had been care-



fully watching the play, now led the diamond Jack from dummy. East won with the King, but South fulfilled his contract by taking the remaining tricks. Had East instead chosen to discard clubs, the same result would of course have followed. South, in discarding on the spades, would have parted with one diamond and two clubs, while in the North hand three clubs had been retained, a small diamond having been discarded on the third round of hearts.

POST OFFICE

Notification For Holiday

To-morrow the General Post Office, Kowloon Central Post Office and Sheungwan Branch Office will be open from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. The other Branch Post Offices will be entirely closed.

There will be one collection from the pillar boxes, one delivery of ordinary correspondence as on Sundays and one delivery of registered correspondence at 10 a.m. The Money Order Office will be entirely closed.

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THREE SONATA RECITALS

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An aspect of Hong Kong which never fails to strike those who sojourn here for a time, taking their part in the general post life of the Colony, is the profound and intelligent public interest in good music.

This statement may very well be criticised by those who consider only the superficial indications of the situation given in letters to the Press on the subject of radio programmes, and by the sparse attendance at many concerts. But in speaking of the Hong Kong public we are often led into the error of calculating its artistic capacity in comparison to the figures of the population, whereas it should be thought of as a "small-town stand" and judged accordingly.

Thus we may be surprised at the amount of good music available, and at the enterprise with which public offerings continue to be made, in view of the small response to be expected. It shows conclusively that, though small, the demand is a sincere one, and, having been nursed, and fostered by enthusiastic lovers of the art, has grown steadily stronger through the years.

Thoughtful Enjoyment

It may be said that Hong Kong music lovers have formed the habit of going to concerts in the right spirit — one of thoughtful enjoyment rather than of restless criticism. For that they must undoubtedly thank in the first place the Press comment of writers who know their subject; and one especially whose influence in matters pertaining to good music has left an undying impression. They have the advantage of knowing, through concerts attended on leave, those heard locally, and through radio and gramophone records, the sound of a very wide range of great works, and they are ready to appreciate the presentation of these works by musicians who can find for them their clear meaning, including nothing that will destroy their beauty.

Among those whom we may class as the serious musicians of Hong Kong is a small group of singers and instrumentalists who are breaking fresh ground in the Colony with a series of Three Sonata Recitals, to be held in the Helena May Institute on September 25, October 9 and 23. That genuine interest has been aroused is already evident, and the performers have been encouraged to hope that their efforts will meet with general approval and sympathy, and will add something tangible to the musical life of the Colony. The programmes have been carefully chosen with a view to retaining correct balance and atmosphere in each, as well as variety of theme.

Various Periods

The first concert will be devoted to the works of Old Masters — Handel, Bach and Beethoven; the second to Modern English composers; and the third to those of the Romantic Period. The background of the programmes will be Sonatas for Violin and Piano played by Prue Lewis and Maurice Barton. The singers will be Edgar Warner at the first concert, Mrs. Nell Mathieson at the second, and the Rev. H. W. Baines at the third. Accompaniments for these singers will be played by Lindsay A. Lafford, Madame H. Evell and E. O'Neill Shaw respectively.

The Booking Plan is at the Helena May Institute, where single or cycle tickets may be obtained. The net proceeds of the three recitals will be devoted to the building fund of Christ Church, Kowloon Tong. — Contributed.

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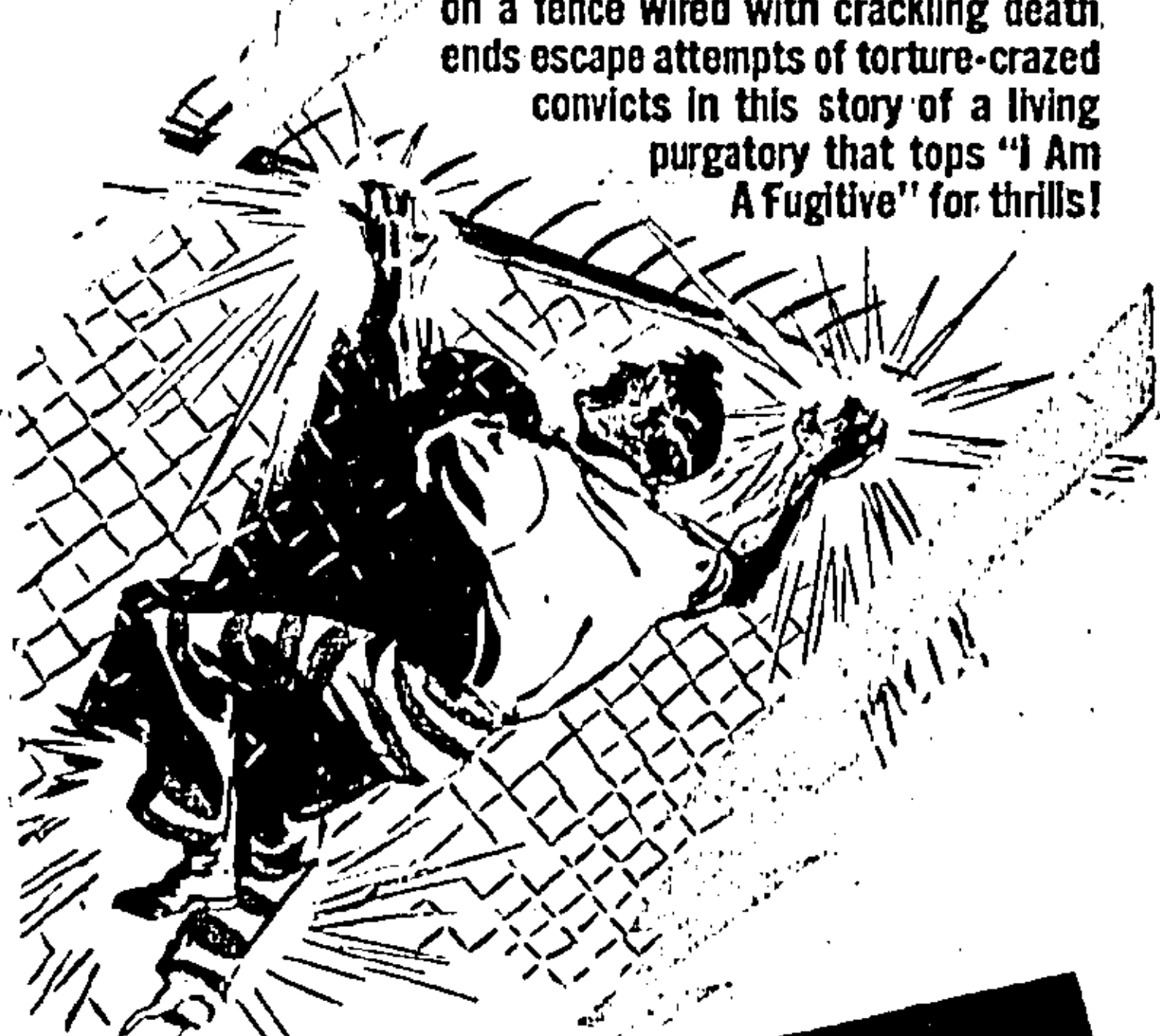
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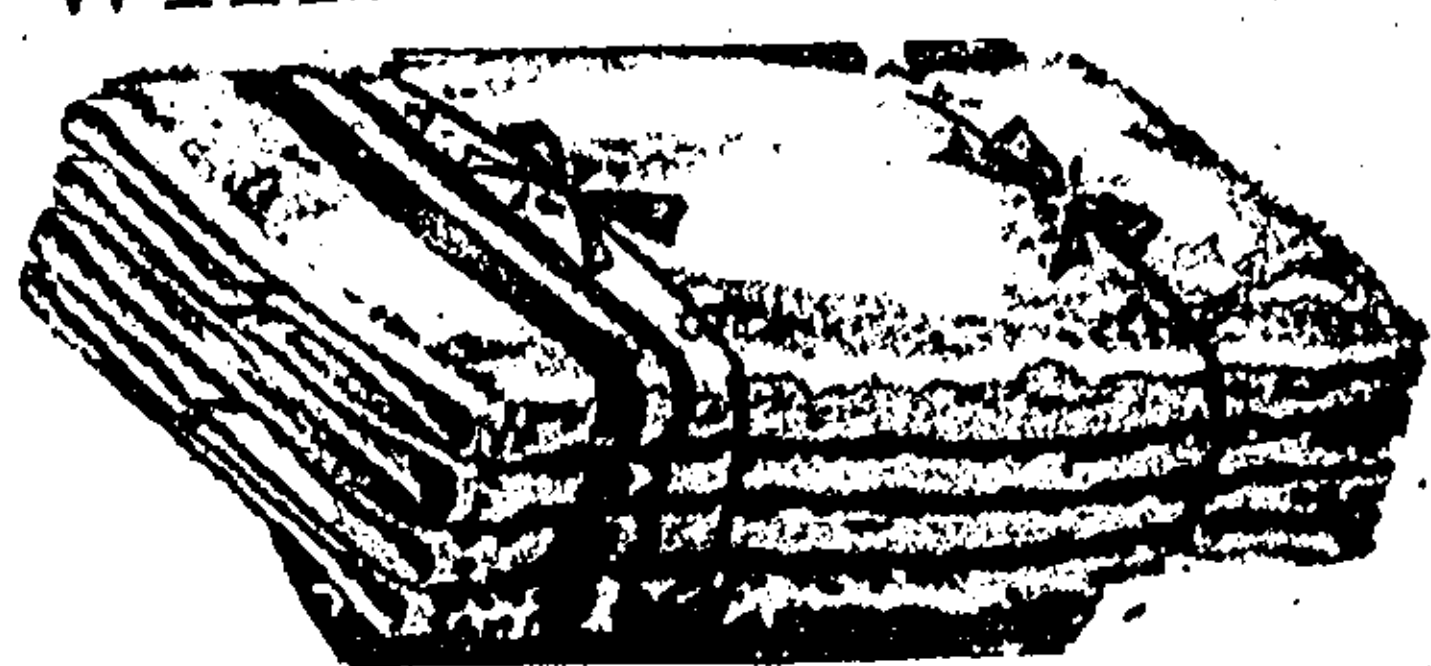
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CELTIC BEATEN ON OWN GROUND— RANGERS ARE HELD BY ARBROATH SOUTHEND SCORE NINE TIMES!

London, Yesterday.

Arsenal were held to a goalless draw at Huddersfield, while Sunderland consolidated their position with a home win over Preston.

Middlesborough and Chelsea lost their 100 per cent. records and in the Scottish League Killmarnock sprang a surprise by taking both points from Celtic. The Rangers also received a setback at Arbroath for the second year in succession.

Other teams to lose their 100 per cent. records were Burnley, Luton, Notts C. and York.

Results as cabled by Reuter were as follows:—

FIRST DIVISION		THIRD DIVISION (South)	
Bolton	1 Grimsby	Bournemouth	5 Swindon
Charlton	1 Liverpool	Brighton	1 Aldershot
Chelsea	1 Birmingham	Bristol R.	3 Bristol C.
Derby	3 Man'ter U.	Cardiff	3 Luton
Everton	3 Brentford	Crystal P.	3 Walsall
Huddersfield	0 Arsenal	Exeter	0 Clapton
Manchester C.	6 W. Bromwich	Northampton	2 Millwall
Portsmouth	2 Middlesboro	Queen's P.R.	3 Torquay
Stoke	2 Leeds	Reading	4 Notts C.
Sunderland	3 Preston	Southend	9 Newport
Wolves	4 Wednesday	Watford	6 Gillingham
SECOND DIVISION		THIRD DIVISION (North)	
Aston Villa	4 Southampton	Barrow	2 Crewe
Barnsley	2 Bradford	Carlisle	1 Halifax
Blackburn	0 Leicester	Darlington	6 Rotherham
Blackpool	1 West Ham	Gateshead	0 Port Vale
Bradford C.	4 Swansea	Hartlepool	2 Tranmere
Chesterfield	4 Burnley	Hull	2 Oldham
Coventry	1 Bury	Lincoln	4 Southport
Notts F.	5 Fulham	N. Brighton	1 Accrington
Plymouth	7 Doncaster	Rochedale	0 Chester
Sheffield U.	2 Newcastle	Stockport	0 Stockport
Tottenham	2 Norwich	Wrexham	1 Mansfield
SCOTTISH LEAGUE		LONDON SILVER MARKET	
Arbroath	0 Rangers	PRICES DECREASE	
Celtic	2 Killmarnock	London, last night.	
Dundee	1 Albion	London Silver prices to-day	
Dunfermline	0 St. Johnstone	were down 1/16 as follows:—	
Falkirk	1 Queen's Pk.	Sept. 4 Sept. 5	
Hibernian	5 Hamilton	Spot	19-5/8 19-9/16
Motherwell	4 Queen's O'S	Forward	19-5/8 19-9/16
Partick	1 Aberdeen	—Our Own Correspondent.	
St. Mirren	1 Clyde	C.C.C. WHIST DRIVE	
T. Lanark	3 Hearts	The ladies' prizes at the fortnightly whist drive of the Craigen-gower Cricket Club held last night were won by Mrs. J. Cook, Mrs. A. Smith and Mrs. W. Kirman, and the gentlemen's prizes were secured by Messrs. Tribble and Managh.	



Melquiades Alvarez, above, leader of the Right Wing Liberal Democratic Party, was found hiding under his bed when Madrid Leftists arrested him in their round-up of 691 rebel leaders last month.

"INCIDENTS" AT FENGTAI

Troubles Originating
Among Soldiers

Tientsin, Yesterday.

Mr. Chen Chung-fu, Chairman of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Hopel-Chahar Political Council, and a representative of the Japanese Garrison are discussing the maintenance of military discipline and measures designed to prevent the recurrence of Sino-Japanese trouble originating among the soldiers of the 29th Army now stationed at Fengtai.

A spokesman of the Japanese garrison said that the Japanese military authorities' point of view was that, in view of the frequent disturbances, created by these soldiers, unless proper steps be taken and guarantees made for their future good behaviour, some positive action would become obligatory on the part of the Japanese garrison.

The Japanese military authorities hope that the Chinese authorities will realise the Japanese intentions and that the negotiations will be satisfactorily concluded, the spokesman added.—Union News.

MINOR MOTOR MISHAP

Woman Knocked Down
By Car

In a report to the Police yesterday, Wong Yuk-ting, married woman, of No. 4, Ningpo Street, stated that while she was driving her motor car, No. 893, along Castle Peak Road, near the Female Prison, an unknown Chinese male suddenly dashed across the road in front of the car.

In swerving to avoid the man, however, she collided with Shi Shu, married woman, aged 38, knocking her down. She sustained injuries to the head and was removed to the hospital where her condition was stated to be not serious.

ALL IS FORGIVEN!

Geneva, Yesterday.—M. Joseph Avenol, Secretary-General of the League of Nations, is leaving for Rome to-morrow to discuss with the Italian Government the conditions under which Italy will return to the League of Nations and be prepared to give full support to its functions.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

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CHINA'S STRUGGLE FOR UNITY

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sists that General Pei Chung-hai must leave Kwangsi, while the Kwangsi leaders insist on the complete withdrawal of the Central troops in order to resist the Japanese in the North, and that the Peoples' Patriotic Movement be permitted. Under such conditions, an open clash may start at any moment.

TROOP DISPLACEMENTS

It is reported from reliable sources that the Generalissimo will appoint General Chang Fa-kwai, present Garrison Commander for Bandit Suppression in Fukien, Kiangsi and Chekiang, as Commander-in-Chief of Kwangsi Suppression, and General Liu Chi as Chief of Staff. Troops have been mobilised rapidly in the last few days, and the Central troops already in Kwangtung consist of about 14 divisions.

General Lee Yen-nin is in command of the troops in the south of Kwangtung, facing the 19th Route army in Pakhoi and Limkong. General Li Mak-an is in command of the troops in the north and west of Kwangtung, with his headquarters at Shiu-ning, to look after the Kwangsi armies coming from the West River. General Hu Chung-nan is in command of the troops on the frontiers of Hunan, to prevent the Kwangsi troops from crossing the frontier to capture Hengchow, the junction of the Canton-Hankow Railway, and his troops have gone as far as Kung-shing, a district in the north-east of Kwangsi. General Heish Yoh is in command of the troops on the Yunnan and Kweichow frontiers, to prevent the Kwangsi armies from penetrating into Yunnan and Kweichow Provinces. Bombers under the command of General Chan Hin-wan are also stationed in those places, while Nanking Naval forces are now stationed near Wuchow and Pakhoi to look after the Kwangsi and 19th Route armies. All these troops are waiting for the Generalissimo's order to attack at any time.

STILL SOME HOPE

On the other hand the 19th Route Army of General Tsai Ting-kai, the Shanghai war hero, are in the south of Kwangtung with the intention of capturing Kweichow and

BRITISH MOTOR-YACHT LOST ON ELBE

Sinks After Colliding With
Tug Towing Barge

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL
Hamburg, Yesterday.

The British motor-yacht Snowbird collided with a barge being towed by a tug in the Elbe estuary last evening and was so severely damaged that it sank shortly afterwards. The four people on board were saved.—Trans-Ocean Service.

the Szeyang districts and then entering Canton. This army is ready to advance at any time, and it is learned that they have an idea of entering Canton before the Moon Festival on Wednesday, September 30.

General Pei Chung-hai will lead an army to meet General Hu Chung-nan and to capture Hong-chow himself, a route over which he has already marched, when he assisted the Generalissimo in the military campaign against the North 10 years ago.

General Li Chai-sum will lead an army to meet General Tsai Ting-kai's army at Canton through the West River. General Li Chung-jen will remain in Nanking to look after general affairs.

PEACE HOPES

But there is still some hope that this coming civil war will not eventuate, for it is stated in well-informed circles that the Generalissimo is anxious to meet Generals Li Chung-jen and Pei Chung-hai

STOP PRESS

Rugby Results

London, Yesterday.

The following were the results of to-day's Rugby Union matches:

Coventry 6 Bridgend 5.
Leicester 12 Bedford 18.
Cardiff 22 London Welsh 3.
Northampton 5 Headingley 11.
Plymouth 0 Bristol 5.
Torquay Athletic 14 Redruth 3.
Weston-super-Mare 10 Cross Keys 0.—Reuter.



In quest of the Shanghai Interport bowls pennant. Reading from left to right, P. E. Knight, A. Hyde-Lay (captain), J. F. McGowan, A. E. Costa, H. A. Alves and F. V. Ribeiro, who sailed for Shanghai last Friday by the R.M.S. Empress of Asia. ("Herald" photo).